

Terrace's business license inspection clarified

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TERRACE—Alderman Chub Down has taken some exceptions to the April 11, Daily Herald article on the Terrace business license inspection operation. During a council meeting, Down said he was "astonished to read" that Terrace issues an average of four business licenses per day. Based on his figure of a working year consisting of 261 days, Down states that means Terrace should have "somewhere in the neighborhood of 900 business licenses issued." At the time of his public comments, Down said only 384 had been issued, and asked where the revenue from the missing 500 were. He also said, based on information supplied by the treasurer, 92 per cent of business license fees were paid by Feb. 1.

Terrace license inspector Tom Chesterman later

stated that at the time of Down's remarks 649 business licenses had been issued bringing in \$80,089.41 in revenue.

Chesterman worked out the number of working days per year to 229 which at four licenses per day equals a total of 916. He expects to issue that amount this year.

Down is charging that the inspector "in fact was only on the job for seven months last year and was away five months on union business."

Chesterman replies that last year that he had a two month leave of absence plus an additional 31 day period for union business. The two month leave was to act as a temporary union representative in Vancouver. The license function was covered by his assistant during that time. That assistant is now

removed due to budget cuts. Chesterman also states that none of that time away from his position was paid by the city. This year he has been away on union business six days.

Down also stated that two years ago, unauthorized, the license inspector had all the business licenses put on the computer, removing files necessary to the city in order that applications would be sent out automatically. Down says that has been done every since.

The license inspector says, "I've never touched the computer." The business license files are in the computer and that was authorized by the then-treasurer under whose authority the computer is. Chesterman says all the city's revenue files have been computerized including taxes, utilities, animal

licenses and municipal plates.

Down says we "need to take a serious look at the license inspector's department...in the manner of an in-camera committee of the whole," and implied criticism of the inspector for taking his case to the public.

Chesterman says, "I don't see where there is anything to discuss either in or out of camera." He adds that no council member has ever come to him to discuss his function (other than specific inquiries concerning a particular business license.). Not Down, the mayor, or any alderman.

It should also be noted that the license inspector did not come to the press, the press went to him since his department was being publicly discussed during budget debates at several council meetings.

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Nuclear ban crushes revival

A U.S. Supreme Court ruling upholding a ban on building new nuclear plants in California will have no immediate effect on 57 construction sites across the country, but could crush the comatose industry's chances for revival.

The court unanimously ruled Wednesday that states can ban construction of new plants until the federal government devises a safe way to dispose of radioactive wastes.

The ruling upheld a 1976 California law that barred construction of nuclear plants on grounds that unresolved waste issues could lead to plant shutdowns and therefore extreme financial consequences.

"Congress has left sufficient authority in the states to allow the development of nuclear power to be slowed or even stopped for economic reasons," Justice Byron White wrote in the 9-to-0 opinion.

The Reagan administration had argued that allowing states to prohibit new plants could jeopardize nuclear power as a source of electricity.

Plants are being built in only three of the 13 states that have some type of restriction on nuclear construction. The California law, for example, exempted units that had already experienced "substantial construction and substantial expense" when the law was enacted.

Industry groups sought to play down the ruling's impact.

"We believe that the impact lies somewhere in the future," said Carl Goldstein, assistant vice-president of the Atomic Industrial Forum.

"The impact appears to be potential should someone now come along with a new order or seek a construction permit in one of the states that have such laws."

Only last month, Carl Walske, the Forum's

president, had predicted a "good, sustained economic growth" would signal another round of nuclear plant orders, perhaps within three years.

But the industry has been burdened with prohibitive construction costs due to high interest rates as well as the worst U.S. commercial nuclear accident in 1979 at Three Mile Island. Plans for 51 units have been canceled since the accident, and there have been no new orders since 1974.

Aid the Harvard law professor who represented California in the high court case contended the decision does more than permit states to ban future construction. He said it does not prevent any state from banning ongoing projects if it wants to.

"The decision's underlying rationale is a total victory for the states," said Prof. Laurence Tribe. He said the court's ruling "plainly is independent of the question whether the plant has begun construction or not."

However, if any states do enact legislation ordering abandonment of plants already being built, they would have to reimburse the owners under a Fifth Amendment provision that says the government cannot seize private property without just compensation.

Also, the Supreme Court found, by a 7-2 vote, that questions of safety at nuclear plants remain the domain of the federal government.

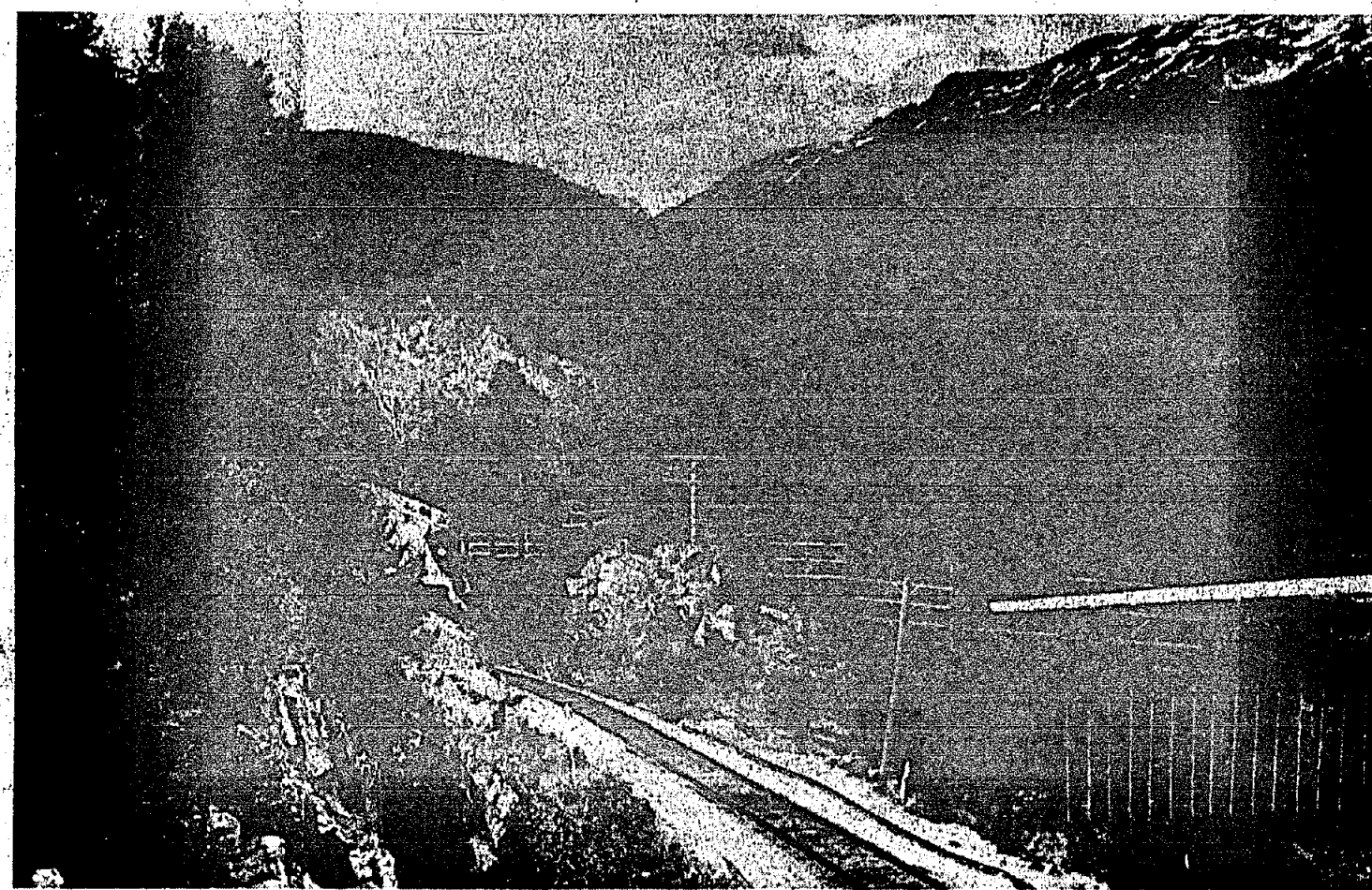
Environmentalists were cheered by the ruling.

Said Sierra Club spokesman John Hooper: "We have argued consistently for state veto authority over nuclear power plant construction, and this decision vindicates that position."

Goldstein pointed out that the high court got the California case before President Reagan signed a national waste policy act in January, which may provide the safe means of disposal mentioned in the California law.

The federal law established a schedule for completing the first burial site for high-level wastes from commercial plants by 1988. Three sites must be selected by 1985 for detailed studies and the president must make the final choice by March, 1987.

The act also addresses the economic issue raised in the California case by authorizing a surcharge of one-tenth of a cent per each kilowatt-hour of nuclear power generated to pay for disposal of high-level wastes.



Spring brings warm weather for hiking in the Skeena area.

Business signals approval of budget

OTTAWA (CP) — Opposition MPs continued their barrage against Finance Minister Marc Lalonde's \$4.8-billion budget Wednesday, but the financial and investment community flashed a much different signal.

Share prices on the Toronto Stock Exchange, Canada's largest, climbed 43.75 points while Vancouver and Montreal also posted gains.

On currency markets, the Canadian dollar gained almost four-tenths of a cent against its U.S. counterpart to close at 81.2 cents U.S.

It marked the first time in a decade the financial and investment community strongly endorsed a Liberal budget.

"After so many disastrous Liberal budgets, the market is relieved it finally has one it can live with," said Richard Anstett, a technical analyst with the TSE.

Lalonde called the business community the main engine for economic growth and announced, among other things, a four-year program with tax incentives to try to restore corporate profits and improve productivity. The deficit will rise to \$31.3 billion.

Analysts noted the influence of U.S. markets, especially Wall Street which closed at another record high, on the Canadian market.

But they said investors like incentives which encourage them to buy stocks and other measures to stimulate housing and the

resource and high-technology sectors.

Lalonde used the good news to deflect harsh criticism in the Commons from Progressive Conservative MPs, who called the budget "a cruel hoax" on the unemployed.

He said the budget has received strong endorsement from businessmen and critics "should explain to me why the Toronto Stock Exchange index went up 28 points this morning."

But he warned special taxes on alcohol, tobacco and other manufactured goods which take effect in October, 1984, may not end as slated at the end of 1988.

Most labor groups condemned the budget because it did not include massive job-creation programs and tax cuts. Labor leaders argued that recovery can only take place if people are working and able to buy consumer goods.

In the Commons, James McGrath, Tory MP for St. John's East, said it is disgraceful that Lalonde expects there to be more unemployed at the end of 1985 than there were at the end of 1982.

New Democrat MP Nelson Rills questioned how Lalonde can expect the recovery to last when new taxes to pay for the program take effect in the fall of 1984.

Lalonde countered, saying 600,000 more people will have jobs at the end of 1984 than at the end of 1982. And he rejected the NDP finance critic's contention that a higher manufacturing sales tax

will kill the recovery.

By then the recovery should be well on its way, Lalonde said, adding that the alternative to more taxes is a higher deficit.

Later, Tory finance critic Pat Carney led off the six-day budget debate, saying the recovery program does little to ease unemployment, raises the deficit and imposes tax increases.

She accused Lalonde of misreading "a lot of the needs of small business" by not giving tax breaks encouraging consumers to buy goods.

Tax increases in the budget of former finance minister Allan MacEachen took \$3 billion out of the economy, crippling many small businesses "and this budget does nothing to restore the spending power."

In other budget-related developments Wednesday:

— The Canadian Real Estate Association urged people interested in buying homes to do so quickly in the wake of the budget.

Mortgage rates have dropped to comparatively low levels, tax breaks linked to the Registered Home Ownership Savings Plan have been expanded and the budget indicated there would be no new incentives to buyers for at least a year, said association spokesman D. Logan Tait.

The budget provided a total of \$361 million in additional support for housing over a two-year period. Most will go to expanding or extending existing federal housing

programs, with an estimated \$125 million going to tax breaks for homebuyers.

— Hard-pressed farmers have little to gain from the budget, said Glenn Flaten, president of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture. The \$100 million for the Farm Credit Corp. to help

refinance troubled farmers

"will help only a small fraction of the farmers in serious financial difficulty and does not meet the immediate need for expanded credit at reduced interest rates simply to keep viable farms fully operating through the coming year," Flaten said.

Fires dangerous

Herald Staff Writer

SKEENA—Despite dampened weather conditions the B.C. Forest Service is warning people doing yard work that the usual dry spring conditions and windy weather is causing fires in the area.

Both the forest service and local fire departments in the region have responded to fires that have gotten away on people and threatened their homes. As many as 250 hectares were burned out of control last week because of windy conditions.

Dry grass and slash burners need permits. All permits prohibit burning in windy weather, the forest service reminds area residents.

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Workers concerned

PORT COQUITLAM, B.C. (CP) — Right-to-work legislation will be seriously considered by a re-elected Social Credit, John Parks, Sacred candidate in Mallardville-Coquitlam has promised.

The trouble with the promise is that it doesn't have the support of Premier Bill Bennett.

Parks's statement was made at an all-candidates meeting taped by Fraser Cable 10, the community television channel, and being televised April 25.

"I think it is fair to say that it is one of the policies of the Social Credit government to seriously consider right-to-work legislation, there's no question about that," Parks said.

He was responding to a question put to him during the meeting filmed Tuesday in the Port Coquitlam studios.

"If we do have enough of the people of this province come forth and say, 'Look it, we can't afford as individuals to have the labor legislation as it sits today,' then yes, I am sure a re-elected Social Credit government will bring about right-to-work legislation."

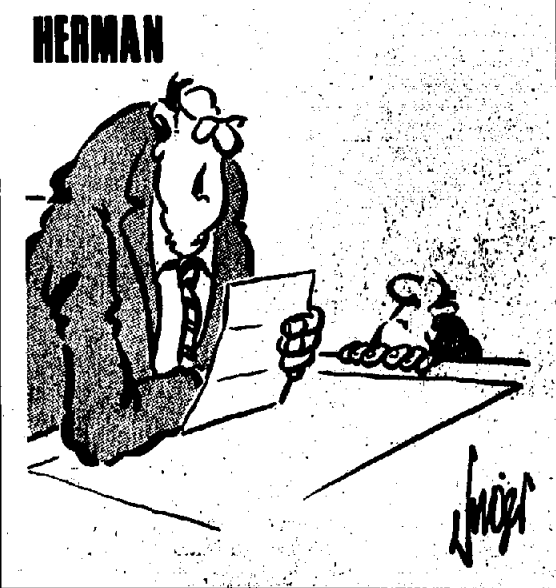
Bennett, asked about the party's policy on right-to-work at a news conference Wednesday evening in Revelstoke, said a Social Credit government would definitely not introduce right-to-work legislation.

Parks's statements, he said, represented his own opinions and not government policy.

Under right-to-work laws, compulsory union membership, or closed shops, would be outlawed, even if a majority of the bargaining unit is in favor.



Don Schaffer, Daily Herald sports editor, was the recipient of an appreciation award at the Terrace Commercial Hockey and Basketball banquet last Saturday. Both hockey and basketball association commended Schaffer for the coverage they have received over the past two seasons. The plaque reads: "Thank you for your support, time and patience."



"This says you have a tendency to grovel."

Federal government offers Dome more aid

The federal government said Wednesday it has agreed to a \$25-million aid package to reopen the Yukon's Cyprus Anvil mine, part of the financially troubled Dome Petroleum Ltd. holdings.

An statement made in Whitehorse by Northern Affairs Minister John Munro and released simultaneously in Ottawa said the plan calls for Ottawa and Cyprus Anvil Mining Corp., which is \$130 million in debt, to each pay \$25 million during the next two years to reopen the lead-zinc mine at Faro.

Doug Evans, public affairs director for Dome and Cyprus Anvil, said in an interview from Calgary that about 210 of the more than 600 workers at the mine will be recalled starting in early June.

The mine, once the largest private-sector employer in the

territory of 25,000, has been closed 10 months due to poor metal markets.

The federal government will provide a \$10.6-million interest-free loan to be paid back in full along with 25 per cent of mine profits once it's back in production. The remaining \$5.4 million won't be repayable.

Evans said the agreement hinges on resolution of financial details linked with a technical shuffle Dome made earlier this month to "insulate" its holdings from those of Cyprus Anvil.

Dome, already about \$6.3 billion in debt, shifted part of its former 87-per-cent holding in Cyprus Anvil into a numbered company, easing its technically owns less than 50 per cent of the mine and isn't directly responsible for the mine's debt.

Elsewhere, officials of Inco Ltd. and Falconbridge Ltd. — Canada's two major nickel-producing companies — said increased consumption and better nickel prices will help them edge toward profitability within a year.

Shareholders attending annual meetings of the Toronto-based mining giants were told both anticipate better results in the second quarter of 1983 than in the first three months of this year.

Falconbridge said it suffered a first-quarter loss of \$22.1 million or \$3.61 a share, compared with a loss of \$12.9 million or \$2.59 in the same period a year ago.

Inco, reporting its results in U.S. funds, said its first-quarter loss of \$76.9 million or 92 cents a share was its biggest ever. Inco had a deficit of \$37.2 million or 59 cents in the same quarter last year.

Inco, which lost \$204 million in 1982, has shown a loss for the last seven quarters. Falconbridge, which lost \$85.3 million last year, has reported losses for the last six quarters.

In other business news Wednesday:

— Stock and bond prices advanced on Canadian markets, the first strong endorsement of a federal Liberal budget in almost a decade. Share prices on the Toronto stock market gained 43.75 points to 2322.31, led by real estate, energy, mining and high-technology.

— The administrator of Ottawa's petroleum incentives program told an industry luncheon in Calgary that federal rules on Canadian ownership of oil companies will be streamlined July 1. Gerry Penny said he expects cabinet to approve a four-step revision of Canadian ownership rating regulations making it easier for companies to determine eligibility for federal incentives.

— Finance Minister Marc Lalonde's budget got another favorable response on foreign exchange markets as the Canadian dollar shot up almost two-fifths of a cent to 81.20 cents U.S.

Boyle returns

WOODSTOCK, Ont. (CP) — Klondike Joe Boyle came home to Canada Wednesday, 60 years after his death as a pauper.

The remains of the Yukon adventurer, sportsman and First World War soldier-diplomat arrived from England by military aircraft at Canadian Forces Base Trenton.

A flag-draped coffin was taken to Woodstock, his boyhood home, where his remains will stay in a local mausoleum until completion of plans for reburial at a city cemetery.

Boyle was born in Toronto in 1867 and started his career in Dawson City acting as a sparring partner for Frank Slavin, the British Empire heavyweight boxing champion. He also worked as a bouncer in the town's famous Monte Carlo saloon.

He managed to get a lease on 100,000 hectares of the rich Klondike Valley and eventually owned half of Dawson City. One of his dredges sank, however, and Boyle found himself in debt.

The war began and before Boyle left the Klondike he organized a 50-man Yukon contingent for the Canadian army.

Boyle served the Kerensky government in Russia in the summer of 1917 and worked on the country's railway system. He took command of troops at Tarnopol and was decorated in the field by the Russian commander-in-chief.

Boyle moved his support to the Romanian government after the Bolshevik Revolution and worked against the Soviets and the Germans in the final year of the war.

Boyle spirited the Romanian crown jewels and cash out of Russia aboard a stolen railway car, helped quash a Romanian revolution and rescued a boatload of 50 Romanian prisoners. He also helped convince the Canadian government to provide \$25 million in aid to Romania.

Boyle was called the "savior of Romania," and received the country's three highest decorations. He also received the British Distinguished Service Order and the French Croix de Guerre.

"I have been honored in Russia, Romania, England and France but I am without honor in my own country," Boyle wrote late in his life.

Boyle was in the midst of a big oil deal on the Black Sea when he became ill and returned to England. He died a poor, lonely man at 56.

Moslems celebrate

VANCOUVER (CP) — The lips of the faithful moved in silent prayer and many of them wept for joy. They had reason to be overwhelmed.

They were face to face with Prince Karim Aga Khan, spiritual leader to 20 million Ismaili moslems around the world, who this year is celebrating the 25th anniversary of his accession to the hereditary throne of the religion, which dates back more than 1,300 years.

He was greeted at the airport Wednesday by 300 Ismailis forming the welcoming party for Greater Vancouver's 12,000-member community.

As the Aga Khan walked down the red carpet into the reception lounge, many Ismaili women, their hands held up in prayer, wept openly.

Inside the lounge, the Aga Khan and his wife, Princess Salima, sipped orange juice while talking with Deputy Premier Grace McCarthy and Ald. George Pull.

McCarthy said later she was pleasantly surprised by the Aga Khan's memory.

"He asked about my family by name," she said. "He has a remarkable memory."

Pull, a skiing enthusiast like the Aga Khan, said he and his Ismaili leader exchanged information about skiing the south of France.

The Aga Khan, a direct descendant of the Moslem prophet Mohammed, has built and funds some 500 schools, health clinics and sports facilities in Asia and Africa, including a \$200 million teaching hospital under construction in Karachi, Pakistan.

His business empire is massive and straddles several continents. His name is a household word in Europe, where his family's horses have won numerous races. He is also part-owner of the \$16 million kidnapped horse Shergar, which has not been seen since it was abducted from an Irish stable two months ago.

The Aga Khan arrived in Vancouver after two days in Ottawa, during which he was a guest at dinners hosted by Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau and Gov. Gen. Ed Schreyer.

Today, the Aga Khan will visit the Ismaili mosque under construction in neighboring Burnaby. He departs Friday on a tour of several major Canadian cities.

Order of Canada awarded

OTTAWA (CP) — Novelist and playwright Morley Callaghan, Canada's Washington ambassador Allan Gotlieb, former high commissioner to Britain Jean Wadda and singer Bruce Cockburn were among 68 Canadians inducted Wednesday into the Order of Canada by Gov. Gen. Ed Schreyer.

Callaghan, of Toronto, who published his first novel, Strange Fugitive, in 1928, received the highest award as companion of the order, along with two other men.

They are Gerald Emmett Cardinal Carter, Roman Catholic archbishop of Toronto, and Montreal engineer Camille Dagenais.

Twenty-three others were appointed officers of the order. They include:

— Sidney R. (Bob) Blair of Calgary, president of Alberta Gas Trunk Line Co. Ltd. and director of a variety of companies.

— Edwin A. Goodman, prominent Toronto lawyer, long a power in Ontario Progressive Conservative circles.

— Wadda, an Ottawa resident and former Tory MP as well as former high commissioner in London.

Canadian ownership streamlined

CALGARY (CP) — Federal rules on Canadian ownership of oil companies will be streamlined July 1, the administrator for the federal program told an industry luncheon Wednesday.

Gerry Penny, administrator of the petroleum incentives administration of the Energy Department, said he expects cabinet to approve a four-step revision of Canadian ownership rating regulations which will make it easier for companies to determine eligibility for federal incentives.

A spokesman for the Independent Petroleum Association of Canada, which lobbied for the changes, called the move a significant step toward relieving the paper burden on small Canadian energy companies.

The Canadian ownership rating was instituted as part of the National Energy Program in 1980 to help "Canadianize" the oil industry. Companies were eligible for federal exploration and development incentive grants of up to 80 cents of every dollar spent, depending on the level of Canadian ownership and control. Companies with a 25 per cent Canadian content received the maximum grant.

OUTLINES CHANGES

Penny outlined the proposed changes:

— Small companies who make up about 75 per cent of total applicants will have their comparatively simplified rules streamlined further. As well, the asset level which determined whether a company was considered a small applicant is being raised to \$50 million from between \$10 million and \$20 million. The old level of \$10 million-\$20 million depended on the accounting method used.

— The measurement rules applying to companies will be simplified to allow them to determine Canadian ownership

levels more quickly.

— The Canadian ownership rating of investors will also be easier to determine under rule changes which do not require as detailed an investigation of a company's ownership.

— Forward equity provisions will be broadened. Forward equity involves types of investment where the investor does not immediately realize control, such as debentures convertible to common shares in the future. Previously, such investments could not be calculated easily into a Canadian ownership rating.

COMMENDS IPAC

Penny thanked the association, made up primarily of small, independent Canadian oil companies, for working closely with his department on formulating the revisions.

Jack Poyen, the association's economic manager, said Penny had not adopted all of the industry's recommendations but "in every measure they've taken, they've been 80 per cent of what we asked."

"I'm convinced they went about as far as they could in all aspects," Penny said.

Penny told the luncheon that changes to the petroleum incentives program itself will be much harder to come by. Some detailed revisions will be made to bring the program in cohesion with the Canadian ownership changes, but major revisions shouldn't be expected immediately.

"I don't want to raise any false hopes," he said.

The federal government has handed out \$1.6 billion in incentive grants since the program's inception. Alberta administers its own version of the program for provincial exploration.

Indians gain new world

FREDERICTON (CP) — A land claim settlement in New Brunswick has opened a whole new world of possibilities for a small Indian band near Fredericton, but, at the same time, it has graphically exposed classic criticisms of Canada's Indian Act.

The 115-member Oromocto Indian band has been promised a nest-egg that would be the envy of oldies didn't think much of that offer and, after a few months of hard bargaining, Ottawa capitulated and came up with the \$2.5-million proposal.

On May 25, the band will hold a referendum on whether the offer should be accepted. It is expected to pass easily and, by late June, the Oromocto Indians should be in possession of their millions — one of the largest land claim settlements, on a per capita basis, in Canadian history.

Chief Polchies, always a jovial person, couldn't be happier. "It will make my job a lot easier," he said.

The hard part is figuring out what to do with all that money. Polchies said the band is still working on plans but \$1 million will be put in the bank for capital projects while the remaining \$1.5 million will be given to the people.

In the midst of all the planning, however, a dispute is brewing involving a classic confrontation in the Indian world — what about non-status Indians, especially the women who were born on the Oromocto reserve but married outside?

Gary Gould, president of the New Brunswick Association

of Metis and Non-Status Indians, said about 10 women who were part of the Oromocto band are being treated like second-class citizens because they left to marry.

Under the Indian Act, women lose their Indian status when they marry white men or non-registered Indians, but white women who marry Indian men gain status benefits.

"It's up to the band to decide whether these women can benefit and share, and these women, who are culturally Indians, are being denied that right; the federal government and the band uses the sexual discrimination of the Indian Act to deny these people access to their aboriginal rights," Gould said.

He said legal avenues are being explored to help the women but he is not optimistic the problem can be solved quickly.

"The federal government created the problem with its act, and now the Indians who have status under that act are simply using it in a greedy fashion to prevent people from sharing in what is rightfully theirs," Gould said.

Polchies said "people have been coming out of the woodwork" since the Oromocto settlement was announced. He said the band voted against non-status women having any involvement with the land claim and, as far as he is concerned, that is the end of the matter.

"I think these women knew what they were doing and if they didn't, they shouldn't have got married — you can't have your cake and eat it too."

Chabot defends Social Credit

GOLDEN, B.C. (CP) — Provincial Secretary Jim Chabot today defended the Social Credit government's decision to award grants totalling \$800,000 for the development of a ski hill and golf course in his Columbia River riding.

Chabot said the projects had been in the works for a long time and only became feasible within the last few months.

Golden Mayor Jim Doyle, an NDP supporter, said earlier this week the \$400,000 grants — one made Friday and the other last month — were made to prop up Social Credit fortunes in the riding. Chabot won by only 400 votes in 1979 and is up against a strong NDP candidate, United Church minister Don Duff, in the May 5 general election.

Chabot told a breakfast meeting in this southeast B.C. community that the two projects are needed to help the local tourism industry.

He said the recent decision by a private forest company to

build a bridge across the Columbia River near Golden to gain access to some of its timber has made the ski hill and golf course projects possible.

"There's always been that stumbling block of the high cost across the Columbia River," Chabot said.

Earlier, Chabot said an NDP newspaper advertisement in the riding suggesting the Socials will close a school and that the government has done nothing for reforestation is misleading advertising.

However, Chabot admitted when questioned by reporters later that he had to pull a Social Credit television commercial on daycare because it was misleading.

And he refused to comment on a statement by Jack Kemp, who represented Omineca for the Socials in the last hxxp party is running misleading advertising about an Alcan smelter project.

Barrett says Socred Midas touch is not golden

New Democrat leader Dave Barrett drew from Greek mythology Wednesday to compare the Social Credit government to Midas, the king whose touch turned everything to gold — but in reverse.

In Barrett's analogy, the Socreds in their drive to develop northeast B.C. coal fields, are turning gold into gravel.

Barrett told a luncheon of 100 supporters in the

southeastern community of Elkford that it makes no sense to use public money to open coal mines that compete with operating mines in northeastern B.C. and put people out of work and small business into bankruptcy.

If elected government May 5, his party would support a voluntary coal marketing agency that would stop coal customers from playing northeast and

southeast B.C. coal producers against each other to drive down prices. Premier Bill Bennett, touring Revelstoke after conquering a cold by resting most of the day, added a new slogan to the election campaign, telling the voters they had a choice between "tax hikes with Barrett or job sites with Bennett."

Bennett challenged the NDP to tell the public which taxes it will raise to cover

an NDP promise to put an additional \$80 million into education.

EXTENDS DEADLINE

He made the remark while extending the deadline for school boards to set mill rates for residential tax purposes. The deadline has been moved to May 7 from May 1, a change that Bennett said is allowed under legislation. A similar change was made last year.

Meanwhile the head of B.C.'s largest forest products company entered the election fray by condemning statements by Barrett as "political rhetoric."

Calvert Knudsen, chairman of MacMillan Bloedel Ltd., was referring to Barrett's proposal that an NDP government would enter into a joint venture with the Vancouver-based forest products giant for a

new sawmill in Chemainus on Vancouver Island.

He wondered if the NDP planned to bail out every failing industry in the province and said Barrett should tell the taxpayers where he would get the money, despite the province's already large deficit.

Barrett, responding in Cranbrook, said the NDP was not talking about

bailing out any ailing firms and the company can take or leave the offer as it pleases.

Barrett also criticized what he called confusion about the Social Credit's policy concerning union decertification and the B.C. Labor Relations Board, saying only a signed statement from Bennett would clarify the government's stance.

Last week, Bennett said his government would remove the board from involvement in union decertification but later retracted his remark, saying only Labor Minister Bob McClelland would comment in future on labor policy.

McClelland told a news conference Wednesday that workers should not require

board approval for a vote on certification or decertification but that the government had no firm percentage figure for what would constitute passage or rejection of a vote.

Barrett told an election rally in Cranbrook that his government, in power from 1972 to 1975, moved too quickly in making some changes and, if elected, would seek public opinion before introducing new concepts.

Meanwhile, the environmentalist Green Party announced it plans to bolster its campaign chest by auctioning 10 weaner pigs donated by the Cariboo Organic Commune.

"These pigs will be the backbone of our finances for this campaign," the party says in a news release.

Clark and Mulroney prepare for battle

MONTREAL (CP) — A crucial battle is shaping up between supporters of Joe Clark and Montreal businessman Brian Mulroney for the largest bloc of Quebec delegates to the Progressive Conservative leadership convention.

Some of the bitterness reminiscent of the three-way fight for the leadership in 1976 — involving Clark, Mulroney and the late Claude Wagner — is surfacing as the Clark and Mulroney organizations put the finishing touches on their contingents to the June

convention in Ottawa.

Before Clark swept to victory at the 1976 convention, Wagner supporters approached Mulroney and pleaded with him to help make a fellow Quebecer the leader of the Tories for the first time in history by voting for Wagner and steering his

backers toward the Wagner camp.

Mulroney coldly told Wagner's lieutenant, Quebec MP Roch LaSalle, he had no vote or cast and reminded him the Wagner-controlled provincial executive had rejected him and his chief lieutenant, Michel Cogger, as delegates-at-large.

Most of the Quebec players and some of the enmity of the 1976 convention are still present in a rematch in which Clark and Mulroney are considered the current frontrunners.

Both appear to have fairly evenly split the more than 500 Quebec delegates already chosen. Organizers now are training their sights on the 38 potential delegates-at-large.

On Friday evening, 23 members of the Quebec Tories' provincial council gathered in Montreal party headquarters to choose the delegates-at-large.

Eligible to attend are the eight members of the Quebec executive, Quebec Tory caucus members — in this case LaSalle, who's now behind Clark — 13

presidents of regional Conservative associations and the former provincial president Marcel Danis (a Mulroney organizer in 1976, now running Clark's Quebec campaign).

One of the most intriguing questions about the meeting is whether Mulroney will be named a delegate-at-large, rather than attempt to get elected in a riding association meeting.

On Wednesday Cogger, again directing Mulroney's campaign, wouldn't speculate on loyalties in the council, but a Clark organizer said it appears to be split 10-10 for Clark and Mulroney, with three members sitting on the fence.

An organizer for leadership candidate Peter Blaikie, former national party president, hinted Clark's team could try to set up grounds for an official protest by insisting on filling three vacancies on the council before the delegate selection vote.

LaSalle fired the first salvo when he mailed letters to all council members charging that allowing the Mulroney-controlled provincial executive to appoint the delegates would be "a

flagrant injustice." He said the three vacancies should be filled by regional elections before the council meeting is held.

The choice of the council, he said, should "underline the particular contribution of eminent members of the party at the level of organizational, fund-raising and legal work."

LaSalle said the Mulroney-controlled executive had already been responsible for choosing a majority of Quebec delegates-at-large that favored a review of Clark's leadership in last January's Tory convention.

LaSalle said he and three other council members have called a council meeting for April 30 and three regional meetings will be held to fill the council vacancies.

Despite LaSalle's stand, Cogger said, the meeting will be held Friday, "and if someone feels that the delegates are improperly appointed," the protest should be taken to the credentials committee.

Asked if he thought those elected at the meeting would be supportive of Mulroney,

Cogger replied: "Yes, indeed."

RCMP raid Air Canada

MONTREAL (CP) — The RCMP have raided the office of Air Canada chairman Rene Amyot at the airline's headquarters in Montreal, as well as Amyot's law office and home in Quebec City.

It was not immediately clear whether the raids, carried out Tuesday, were related to an RCMP investigation into possible wrongdoing in Air Canada's choice of a head office last year or if they were part of a separate inquiry into the bankruptcy of a Montreal firm involving Liberal MP Bryce Mackasey.

The Mackasey investigation concerns Les Ateliers d'usinage Hall Lee, a machine tooling firm that went bankrupt last year. A Commons committee is trying to determine if Mackasey had acted as a paid lobbyist for Les Ateliers.

Amyot's name was brought up at Les Ateliers' bankruptcy hearing in Montreal last fall. Montreal Board of Trade president Robert Harrison said Amyot had received money from a special bank account that paid money to a certain numbered company for lobbying for federal contracts.

Harrison testified the money was likely paid to Amyot for setting up Les Ateliers' parent company, Labec Inc., a firm created to claim mineral rights to large sections of Labrador.

One Air Canada official said privately that Tuesday's raids were apparently not linked to the head office investigation, but rather to Amyot's role in Les Ateliers.

The official pointed out Air Canada president

Claude Taylor was not involved in Tuesday's raid. Last December, the RCMP questioned both Amyot and Taylor as part of the head office inquiry.

The same official, who preferred to remain anonymous, said Amyot has not played a major role in Air Canada decision-making since he was named chairman in November, 1981. Taylor and other senior executives are the key decision-makers, he added.

The head office investigation began late last year, shortly after the planned move to the 10 floors of a new downtown

office tower the airline purchased for its new national headquarters was announced.

Real estate developer Isaac Gelber, whose bid to house Air Canada was rejected, claimed the airline paid \$10 million more than it needed to for equivalent space.

Air Canada insisted the building it eventually chose — owned by Calgary-based Trizec Corp. Ltd., which also happens to be its current landlord at Place Ville Marie — is superior on several counts.

Amyot was not available immediately for comment.

Adventure ends

MONTREAL (CP) — David Hempleman-Adams — the modern-day Admiral Peary whose 700-kilometre walk to the North Pole was frustrated by ice ridges and broken ribs — plans to fly home to England, have a sauna, and start planning for a new assault in 1985.

Hempleman-Adams arrived here Wednesday after abandoning his journey halfway between the northern tip of Canada's Ellesmere Island and the pole, 38 days after he set out on March 8. His trip over the frozen surface of the Arctic Ocean was suspended first by moving ice, then by a rib-cracking fall from a 10-metre-high ridge of ice.

When he fell a second time scaling a pressure ridge — towering ranges of jumbled ice blocks thrown up by colliding ice pans — he was forced to call it a day.

"I almost passed out the second time, and that would have been the end," a subdued Hempleman-Adams told reporters at a downtown hotel.

"So I decided it was better to be a live failure than a dead hero."

Hempleman-Adams, 26, passed through Montreal in early March on his way to Resolute Bay and his starting point at the northern-most tip of North America, and met journalists full of confidence despite predictions by Arctic experts he wouldn't last two days.

But on Wednesday the frustrated adventurer, sitting quietly in a white shirt and tie and the bright orange windbreaker of one of his sponsors, quietly admitted defeat.

"I make no bones about it. I didn't make it." Hempleman-Adams lost about 29 pounds and \$50,000 on the attempt, and the Bristol, England, adventurer said he will likely have to sell his sports car at home to finance his part of the cost.

Bags are offered

TERRACE — Incumbent NDP MLA Frank Howard's campaign workers will be giving away free shopping bags in the malls this weekend.

The "Key to Success — Frank Howard" bags are being used to confirm Howard's commitment to small business development and industrial diversification.

Howard's campaign manager, Bruce Ferguson, says, "the NDP's proposal to institute a small and medium Business Development Act will go a long way towards generating employment and giving people the money to fill their shopping bags with B.C. products."

Meanwhile, Howard is terming the Skeena Socred stand on the Kitimat ferry as "hypocritical and misleading." On Wednesday, the MLA announced that if the NDP formed the government a ferry dock would be built in Kitimat had the commitment of party leader Dave Barrett. Premier Bill Bennett's comments on the dock "slithered all over the waterfront, but refused to make a commitment," according to Howard.

As a member of the Crown Corporation Committee of the legislature, Howard states he knows for a fact that B.C. Ferry Corporation has "the ships, capacity and desire" to provide Kitimat service and will do it once the dock is built.

Howard states he is prepared to back up his position with documentation at an all-candidates meeting "or anywhere else for that matter." He also expects "after I've once again taken the initiative that some cabinet minister will arrive on the scene and follow my lead."

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SPORTS

Oilers, Hawks end series

One NHL semifinal matchup set to start

Edmonton Oilers and Chicago Black Hawks have decisively launched themselves into a Campbell Conference showdown.

The Oilers blasted Calgary Flames 9-1 Wednesday night to clinch the National Hockey League's Smythe Division title in five games and the

Black Hawks accomplished the same in the Norris Division with a 5-2 win over Minnesota North Stars.

Edmonton set a record for the most goals in a five-game, six-game or seven-game playoff series, putting the puck in the Calgary net 35 times in five games.

Defenceman Paul Coffey's power-play goal at 12:09 signalled the beginning of the end for Calgary. Coffey scored a second goal in the middle period.

Mark Messier, Randy Gregg, Pat Hughes, Don Jackson, Glenn Anderson and Ray Cote rounded out

the Oilers' scoring while Calgary's Steve Konroyd spoiled Edmonton goalie Andy Moog's shutout bid at 9:32 of the third period. Black Hawks 5 North Stars 2

Doug Wilson and Rick Paterson scored shorthanded goals for Minnesota soon after Dennis Savard scored for

Chicago on a power play. The North Stars came out blazing and only brilliant saves by goalie Tony Esposito kept Minnesota from taking a quick lead.

Darryl Sutter and Curt Fraser also scored for Chicago while Tom McCarthy and Brad

Maxwell replied for Minnesota. Bruins 9 Sabres 0

Rick Middleton and Barry Pederson kept up their torrid scoring pace with two goals and two assists each and Boston goalie Pete

Peeters stopped 27 shots as Boston buried Buffalo. Boston can capture the

series with a win Friday night in Buffalo.

Bruce Crowder, Mike Krushelnyski, Gord Kluzak, Steve Kasper and Peter McNab completed Boston's scoring.

In nine playoff games this season, Middleton has eight goals and 15 assists and

Pederson nine goals and 12 assists.

Islanders 7 Rangers 2 The Islanders were led by the Sutter brothers, Brent and Duane, with a goal each, while linemate Bob Bourne and Gord Lane added the others.

Bryan Trottier, Mike Bossy and Denis Potvin scored the other Islanders goals. Reijo Ruotsalainen and Robbie Ftorek replied for the Rangers.

The Islanders can wrap up the series Friday night in New York.

Team Canada coaches hope new lineup will help

DORTMUND, West Germany (CP) — The Team Canada coaching staff hopes a revised lineup and a more aggressive offensive style will provide a much-needed victory at the world hockey championship today.

Canada, with one win and two defeats in its first three games, is fifth in the eight-country tournament. The top four teams make the medal round.

The Canada-Czechoslovakia game will be relayed live by CBC Radio beginning at 1:05 p.m. EST.

Left winger John Anderson of Toronto Maple Leafs arrived in time to practise Wednesday and will be inserted on a forward line with Darryl Sittler and Brian Propp.

That moves Bob Gainey on a line with collegians Gord Sherven and Pat Flatley. Two other lines remain intact — Dennis Maruk between Mike Gartner and Michel Goulet, and Marcel Dionne between

Charlie Simmer and Dave Taylor.

The addition of Anderson gives Team Canada four forward combinations for the first time in the tournament and head coach Dave King feels the added

depth will allow his club to relax the defensive style it tried against the Soviets. The tactic worked early in the game, but a run of penalties resulted in three Soviet power-play goals and, eventually, an 8-2 setback.

"Tonight I think it's important that we allow our players to play a bit more of an aggressive game," King said. "We have a better understanding of what we're up against."

"The Czechs are very

good — almost as good as the Russians."

One thing King would like his players to avoid is the push-and-shove melees in the opposition goal creases. Seven times Team Canada players drew coinciding

penalties with Soviet players, leaving each team playing five aside and opening up even more ice for the smooth-skating Soviets to display their puck-handling skills.

"You're forced to play more one-on-one hockey and

the Europeans are excellent one-on-one players," King said. "We don't want to get caught having to match them one-on-one with more space to defend."

King considers the Canada-Czechoslovakia game of paramount importance.

"We've got to beat the Czechs because we can't look too far beyond this game. It's a really important game for us. We can't count on the Finn game (Friday) or the West Germany game (Monday) because they're going to be tough games for us too," he said.

There remain two roster openings and King has mentioned three players he'd like to have, depending on the outcome of Stanley Cup playoff rounds — Lanny McDonald and Paul Reinhart of Calgary Flames, and Craig Hartsburg of Minnesota North Stars.

But reinforcements will not come before the games against Czechoslovakia and Finland and, if Team Canada does not fall down a victory in one of those games, additional personnel will not rescue Canada from finishing out of the medal round.

Broncos earn Memorial Cup berth

LETHBRIDGE, Alta. (CP) — Lethbridge Broncos dumped Calgary Wranglers 8-3 Wednesday to win the Western Hockey League's Eastern Division advance to the league final and earn a berth in the Memorial Cup tournament.

The Broncos clinched the best-of-seven division title in six games by exploding for three unanswered

second-period goals after the teams had played to a 1-1 draw in the first 20 minutes. Lethbridge then ran off four straight goals in the third after the Wranglers had reduced the margin to 4-2.

Lethbridge now faces Western Division champion Portland Winter Hawks for the league championship. Their best-of-seven series

begins Saturday in Portland.

As host team for the Memorial Cup round-robin, Portland is guaranteed a berth in the competition, so win or lose the Broncos have a spot in the tournament as the other WHL representative.

Ron Sutter and Rick Gal scored two goals each for Lethbridge with singles

coming from Ivan Krook, Darin Sceviar, Marty Ruff and Troy Loney.

Scott Makin struck twice for the Wranglers while Barry Bracko added the other.

Lethbridge coach John Chapman praised the efforts of Bronco goaltender Ken Wregget, especially in the game's opening period which saw the Wranglers

hold a 12-9 advantage in shots on net.

"Wregget was the difference in the first period," Chapman said.

Sutter said the Broncos came to life in the second period when they began to play more physically.

"We came out a little flat," he said. "We weren't finishing checks the way we should have and it showed in the first period."

Saskatoon faces one big obstacle

SASKATOON (CP) — The National Hockey League's board of governors could still emerge as the wicked stepmother in Bill Hunter's Cinderella story of bringing the St. Louis Blues to Saskatoon.

"There's still a mountain to climb ... but we'll make it," Hunter said after telling a news conference Wednesday that he and Ralston-Purina Co., present owners of the Blues, had reached agreement on the sale of the franchise.

"I believe that Ralston-Purina believes it has a perfect right to sell the club and that the NHL will approve the sale."

Before the flamboyant sports entrepreneur, spokesman for Coliseum Holdings Ltd., can bring the team to this central Saskatchewan city, the league's board of governors must approve the \$13-

million transaction.

Normally 75 per cent of the 21 governors must approve a sale and 100 per cent must support a franchise shift, but it's reported Ralston-Purina will not need that level of support because of concessions granted the company when it purchased the Blues five years ago.

Emile Francis, the Blues' president and general manager, said he expects the league to make a final decision within two weeks.

"I expect a league meeting on the whole subject within a couple of weeks," said the North Battleford, Sask., native. "We'll all know better what is going on within two weeks."

Francis confirmed that Ralston-Purina has requested a meeting of the NHL board of governors to deal with the sale and

transfer of the club.

"Ralston-Purina requested the meeting today (Wednesday). They're going to get all the documents into the league for their study."

Initial reaction from governors was not positive. Arthur Griffiths, assistant to the chairman of Vancouver Canucks, said the league has not given up on St. Louis as a franchise city.

"I would say NHL is a possibility in St. Louis and a good one," Griffiths said. "You can't survive (in Saskatoon) — on ticket revenue alone and that's the real bottom line."

Frank Griffiths, chairman of the Canucks, has indicated he would oppose the transfer of the Blues to Saskatoon, pending a closer look at the Saskatoon ownership.

The last franchise shift in

the NHL occurred before the 1982-83 season when Colorado Rockies were shifted from Denver to East Rutherford, N.J., to become New Jersey Devils.

Barry Shenkarow of Winnipeg Jets said he didn't think the league would give its approval. Toronto Maple Leaf owner Harold Ballard said 80 per cent of the teams would oppose the sale and Bill Wirtz of Chicago Black Hawks said "with the information we have now I don't think they will get a single vote."

Saskatoon industrialist Les Dube, Hunter's major financial partner in Coliseum Holdings Ltd., said he had nothing to say publicly about the possibility of court action if the NHL refuses to approve the sale.

The National Football League ended up in court when it tried to block

majority owner Al Davis from moving his team to Oakland from Los Angeles. Davis won that case.

Wednesday's announcement, made at a news conference attended by about 700 people, including Saskatchewan Premier Grant Devine, ended four months of negotiations.

Hunter and Dube, who took over as chairman of the board from Edmonton construction millionaire Peter Batoni, have a \$65-million package that includes a proposed \$44-million, 18,000-seat coliseum.

That arena is to be built by Batoni, who relinquished his financial role after the Saskatchewan government, which has guaranteed a \$32-million mortgage for the coliseum, asked for all-Saskatchewan ownership of the team.

Playoffs at a glance

| (All series best of seven) | | | |
|------------------------------|---|---|----|
| (All times EST) | | | |
| WHL PLAYOFFS | | | |
| Adams Division | | | |
| Series | | | |
| | W | L | F |
| Boston | 3 | 2 | 16 |
| Buffalo | 2 | 3 | 16 |
| Wednesday Result | | | |
| Boston 4 Buffalo 0 | | | |
| Friday Game | | | |
| Boston at Buffalo, 7:35 p.m. | | | |
| Sunday Game | | | |
| Buffalo at Boston, 7:35 p.m. | | | |
| Monday, April 18 | | | |
| Boston 4 Buffalo 2 | | | |
| Tuesday, April 19 | | | |
| Buffalo 4 Boston 3 | | | |
| Wednesday, April 20 | | | |
| Boston 5 Buffalo 3 | | | |
| Thursday, April 21 | | | |
| Buffalo 7 Boston 4 | | | |

| Patrick Division | | | |
|------------------|---|---|----|
| Series | | | |
| | W | L | F |
| Islanders | 3 | 2 | 13 |
| Rangers | 2 | 3 | 13 |

| Wednesday Result | | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| NY Islanders 7 NY Rangers 2 | | | |
| Friday Game | | | |
| NY Islanders at NY Rangers, 8:35 p.m. | | | |
| Sunday Game | | | |
| NY Rangers at NY Islanders, 8:05 p.m., if necessary | | | |
| Monday, April 18 | | | |
| NY Islanders 3 NY Rangers 1 | | | |
| Tuesday, April 19 | | | |
| NY Islanders 6 NY Rangers 0 | | | |
| Wednesday, April 20 | | | |
| NY Islanders 4 NY Rangers 1 | | | |

| Campbell Conference | | | |
|---------------------|---|---|----|
| Norris Division | | | |
| Series | | | |
| | W | L | F |
| Chicago | 4 | 1 | 22 |
| Minnesota | 1 | 4 | 22 |

| Wednesday Game | | | |
|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| Chicago 5 Minnesota 2 | | | |
| Monday, April 18 | | | |
| Chicago 4 Minnesota 3 (7) | | | |
| Tuesday, April 19 | | | |
| Minnesota 8 Chicago 1 | | | |
| Wednesday, April 20 | | | |
| Chicago 7 Minnesota 4 | | | |
| Thursday, April 21 | | | |
| Chicago 5 Minnesota 2 | | | |

| Smythe Division | | | |
|-----------------|---|---|----|
| Series | | | |
| | W | L | F |
| Edmonton | 4 | 1 | 13 |
| Calgary | 1 | 4 | 13 |

| Wednesday Game | | | |
|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| Edmonton 2 Calgary 1 | | | |
| Monday, April 18 | | | |
| Calgary 6 Edmonton 5 | | | |
| Tuesday, April 19 | | | |
| Edmonton 10 Calgary 2 | | | |
| Wednesday, April 20 | | | |
| Edmonton 5 Calgary 1 | | | |
| Thursday, April 21 | | | |
| Edmonton 6 Calgary 3 | | | |

| Scoring Leaders | | | |
|--|----|----|----|
| National Hockey League play-off scoring leaders after Wednesday games: | | | |
| | G | A | P |
| Middleton, Bos | 8 | 15 | 23 |
| Gretzky, Edm | 10 | 12 | 22 |
| Pederson, Bos | 9 | 12 | 21 |
| Bourne, NYR | 5 | 11 | 16 |
| Messier, Edm | 10 | 4 | 16 |
| Wilson, Chi | 4 | 9 | 13 |
| Bourque, Bos | 3 | 9 | 12 |
| Kurri, Edm | 2 | 10 | 12 |
| Lisowski, Cal | 1 | 11 | 12 |
| Savard, Chi | 2 | 11 | 11 |
| Lysak, Chi | 1 | 11 | 11 |
| Maxwell, Min | 5 | 4 | 11 |
| Hartsburg, Min | 3 | 8 | 11 |
| B. Sutter, NYI | 3 | 8 | 11 |

| First Period | | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| 1. NY Islanders, Trottier 5 (Morrow, Nyström) 13:18 | | | |
| 2. NY Rangers, Ruotsalainen 4 (Kienlenkorva) 18:45 | | | |
| Penalties — Tonnelli NYI 2:39, Laidlaw NYR 9:26, Allison NYR 14:20. | | | |

| Second Period | | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| 3. NY Islanders, Bossy 6 (Potvin, Trottier) 4:01 (pp) | | | |
| 4. NY Islanders, Lane 1 (B. Sutter, Bourne) 9:30 | | | |
| 5. NY Islanders, D. Sutter 5 (Bourne, B. Sutter) 11:42 | | | |
| 6. NY Islanders, Bourne 5 (Jonsson) 18:35 | | | |
| 7. NY Rangers, Ftorek 1 (Leinonen, Laidlaw) 19:40 | | | |
| Penalty — Ruotsalainen NYR 2:07. | | | |

| Third Period | | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| 8. NY Islanders, B. Sutter 3 (Bourne, D. Sutter) 3:32 | | | |
| 9. NY Islanders, Potvin 4 (Goring, B. Sutter) 10:20 | | | |
| Penalties — Lane NYI, Johnston NYR 4:41, Potvin NYI 5:57, Dugay NYR minor, major, D. Sutter major 18:55, B. Sutter NYI 17:38. | | | |

| Shots on goal by | | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| NY Islanders 21 14 41—29 | | | |
| NY Rangers 21 14 42—42 | | | |
| Goal — Mio, NY Rangers; Smith, NY Islanders. | | | |
| Attendance — 15,317. | | | |

| Minnesota 3 at Chicago 2 | | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| First Period | | | |
| 1. Chicago, Savard 7 (Crossman, Roberts) 10:22 | | | |
| 2. Chicago, Wilson 4 (Preston, Marsh) 19:22 (sh) | | | |
| Penalties — Broten Min, Lutzik Chi double minors 3:06, Hartsburg Min, Gardner Chi 4:06, Maxwell Min 6:48, Roberts Min, Lutzik Chi 11:26, Murray Min 17:49. | | | |

| Second Period | | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| 3. Chicago, Peterson 1, 4:13 (sh) | | | |
| 4. Minnesota, Maxwell 5 (Ferguson, Roberts) 10:22 | | | |
| 5. Chicago, Sutter 3 (Lysak, Preston) 15:07 | | | |
| Penalties — Payne Min 6:43, Murray Chi 3:21, Payne Min, Wilson Chi 9:44, Higgins Chi 19:10. | | | |

| Third Period | | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| 6. Minnesota, McCarthy 2 (Broten, Sargent) 9:12 | | | |
| 7. Chicago, Fraser 3 (Wilson) 9:45 | | | |
| Penalties — Higgins Chi, Minnesota bench (served by Douglas) 14:00. | | | |

| Shots on goal by | | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| Minnesota 15 15 39—49 | | | |
| Chicago 14 11 35—40 | | | |
| Goal — Meinke, Minnesota; Esposito, Chicago. | | | |
| Attendance — 17,439. | | | |

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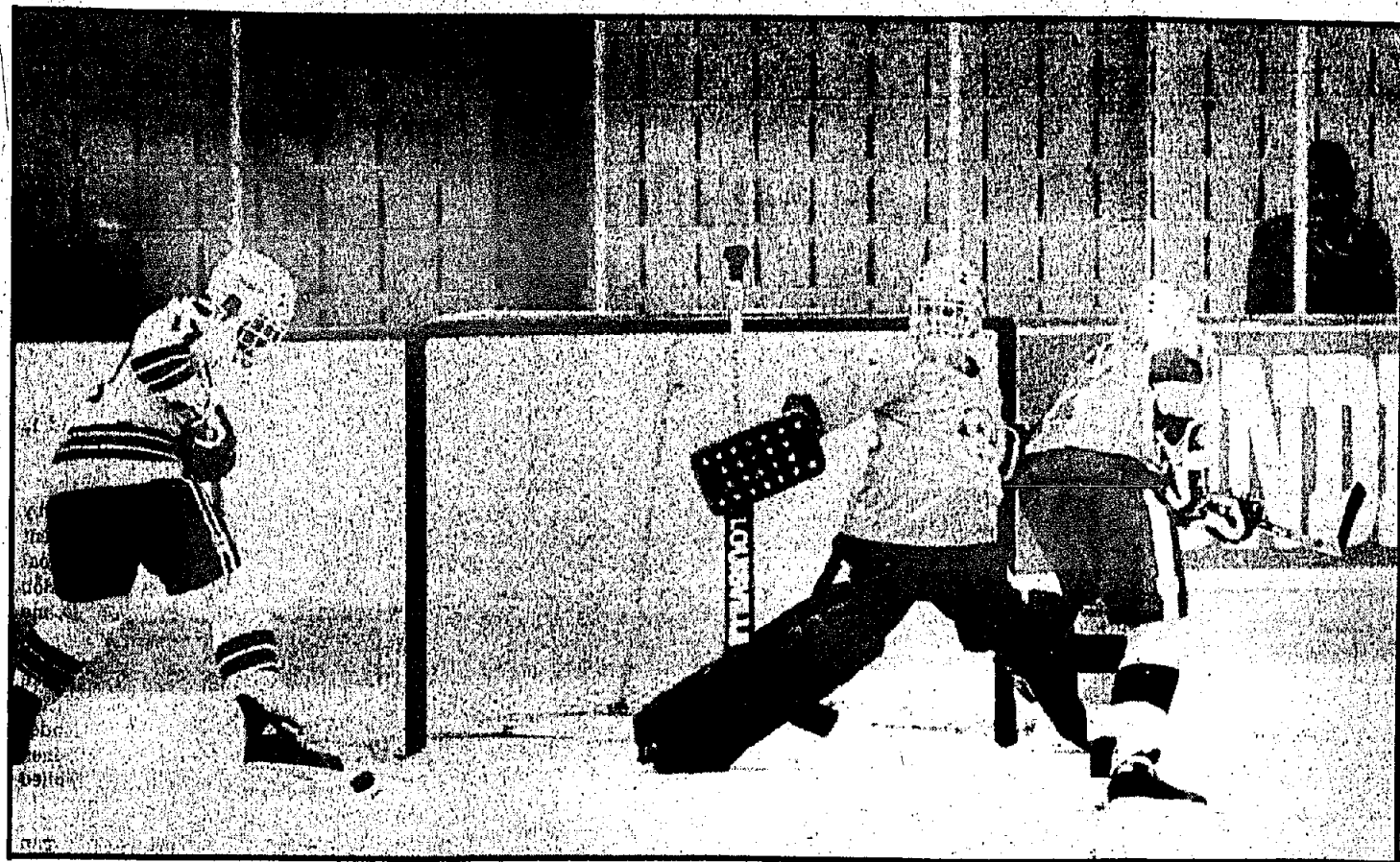
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Terrace Totem Ford goaltender Wade Flaherty turns aside a Nova Scotia shot during their Sunday game against Halifax, won by the Easterners 5-3. Flaherty had an outstanding game Wednesday against Manitoba despite

the team's 2-1 loss. Terrace is 0-4 at the Air Canada Cup midget tournament in Ste. Foy, Quebec, and will play their final game today at 1 p.m. Pacific Standard Time.

Air Canada Cup

Totem Ford suffers another close loss

Terrace Totem Ford midgets could easily be 3-1 and tied for second place in their division at the Air Canada Cup national midget final tournament in Ste. Foy, Quebec.

But they're not.

Instead, they're winless after four games and mired in the basement of the tournament's tough division with no hope of getting a playoff spot, or even out of sixth place.

Wednesday, Terrace lost their fourth straight game in a tough 2-1 decision to Manitoba reps Winnipeg South Monarchs, despite a

stellar performance in goal by Wade Flaherty, solid play all round and wild finish in which Terrace had Flaherty out of the net and several chances to tie the game.

The first two periods were scoreless as both teams hit and skated well. Manitoba opened the scoring at 1:48 of the third period with Steve Young off for roughing. David Heaton got the first Manitoba goal, assisted by Steve Szego and Brian Martin.

Randy MacFarlane tied it up for Terrace at 2:31 with an assist going to Jeff Sharples.

That set the stage for Brian Foreman to score the winner from Sean Moriarty at 5:48 of the third period. Terrace tried hard to get the equalizer but couldn't put one in, despite pulling Flaherty, the game's second star, with over a minute left to play. Manitoba kept Terrace off balance with good forechecking in the last several minutes.

Foreman and Mike Butters of Manitoba were the game's other stars.

Terrace has one last chance to get a win at the tournament when they play Saskatchewan reps Regina Pat Canadians at 1 p.m. Pacific Standard Time. Saskatchewan were fresh from a 4-3 upset win over Ste. Foy Flyers, to get their second win Wednesday, and will be tough, since they need a win badly to avoid playing Ontario's Don Mills Flyers in their first playoff game Friday.

Ontario, meanwhile, have established themselves as the tournament favorites with their 4-0 record, including two games in which they've hit double figures. The latest was Wednesday against Nova Scotia's Halifax Metro AAA reps 11-2.

In the other division, Thunder Bay remained undefeated with a 5-1 win over Prince Edward Island's Charlottetown Thunder Bay captain

Sherwood Parkdale, Alberta's Sherwood Park team beat St. John, New Brunswick 5-2 and Corner Brook, Newfoundland, beat Ottawa West 4-2.

Terrace can no longer finish higher than sixth in their division since they have lost to the only team they can catch, Nova Scotia. Halifax beat Terrace 5-3 in their tournament opener Sunday.

Don Mills 11 Halifax 2

Don Mills boosted their record to 4-0 with their impressive Wednesday win, led by four goals by Mark Easton, three by Peter Douris and two goals and four assists from Scott Mellanby.

Don Mills plays Ste. Foy today in what is the divisional title game. The winner of that game will go into the playoff round as the top team from the tournament's strong division and therefore the favorite in the tournament. Regina 4 Ste. Foy 3

Regina got an upset win over previously unbeaten Ste. Foy courtesy of Tim Iannone's game-winning midway through the third period. Brent Fedyk also had two for Regina.

Quebec still has a chance at the divisional title, but only if they can beat powerful Don Mills today. Thunder Bay 5 Charlottetown 1 Thunder Bay captain

Stats and Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

| East Division | W | L | Pct. | GBL |
|---------------|---|----|------|-----|
| Baltimore | 7 | 5 | .583 | — |
| Toronto | 6 | 6 | .500 | 1 |
| Milwaukee | 6 | 6 | .500 | 1 |
| Boston | 6 | 7 | .462 | 1½ |
| New York | 6 | 7 | .462 | 1½ |
| Detroit | 5 | 7 | .417 | 2 |
| Cleveland | 5 | 8 | .385 | 2½ |
| West Division | W | L | Pct. | GBL |
| Oakland | 9 | 4 | .692 | — |
| Texas | 8 | 5 | .615 | 1 |
| Kansas City | 6 | 4 | .600 | 1½ |
| California | 7 | 6 | .538 | 2 |
| Minnesota | 7 | 7 | .500 | 2½ |
| Chicago | 6 | 6 | .500 | 2½ |
| Seattle | 5 | 11 | .313 | 5½ |

| Wednesday Results | Score |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| Boston 5 Milwaukee 4 | |
| Toronto 1 Cleveland 1 | |
| Texas 11 Baltimore 2 | |
| Kansas City 8 Detroit 7 | |
| New York 6 Chicago 4 | |
| Minnesota 11 Seattle 2 | |
| Oakland 11 California, ppd. | |

| Today's Games | Score |
|---------------------------|-------|
| Seattle at Minnesota | |
| Texas at Baltimore | |
| Oakland at California 2N | |
| Friday Games | Score |
| Chicago at Cleveland | |
| Seattle at Detroit N | |
| Minnesota at New York N | |
| Toronto at Kansas City N | |
| Milwaukee at Texas N | |
| Baltimore at California N | |
| Boston at Oakland, N | |

| AB | R | H | Pct |
|---|----|---|------|
| Brett, KC | 23 | 8 | .425 |
| Oak | 21 | 3 | .429 |
| Engle, Min | 20 | 2 | .423 |
| Hessey, Cle | 19 | 6 | .421 |
| Shawby, Bal | 19 | 6 | .421 |
| Monas, Tor | 18 | 2 | .417 |
| Gibson, Det | 15 | 2 | .400 |
| Ramos, Sea | 15 | 2 | .400 |
| Thornton, Cle | 13 | 5 | .395 |
| Wynegar, NY | 23 | 2 | .391 |
| Douglas, Kansas City | 8 | 3 | .375 |
| Boggs, Boston | 7 | 3 | .375 |
| Triglav, Wilcox | 3 | 1 | .333 |
| Baines, Chicago | 2 | 1 | .333 |
| Horne, Kansas City | 4 | 1 | .250 |
| Kittie, Chicago | 4 | 1 | .250 |
| Seattle, 4 | 1 | 1 | .250 |
| Winfield, New York | 4 | 1 | .250 |
| Runs batted in: Kittie, Chicago, 14; Brett, Kansas City, 13; Thornton, Cleveland, 13. | | | |
| Stolen bases: Garcia, Toronto, 7; Wilson, Kansas City, 7. | | | |
| Pitching (12 decisions): 13 tied with 1.000. | | | |
| Strikeouts: Stieb, Toronto, 22; Norris, Oakland, 18. | | | |

NATIONAL LEAGUE

| East Division | W | L | Pct. | GBL |
|---------------|---|----|------|-----|
| St. Louis | 6 | 1 | .857 | — |
| Philadelphia | 7 | 4 | .636 | 1 |
| Montreal | 6 | 4 | .600 | 1½ |
| Pittsburgh | 6 | 5 | .545 | 2 |
| New York | 4 | 6 | .400 | 3½ |
| Chicago | 2 | 10 | .167 | 7 |
| West Division | W | L | Pct. | GBL |
| Atlanta | 9 | 3 | .750 | — |
| Los Angeles | 9 | 4 | .692 | 1 |
| Cincinnati | 9 | 5 | .643 | 1 |
| San Diego | 6 | 8 | .429 | 4 |
| San Francisco | 4 | 10 | .286 | 6 |
| Houston | 3 | 11 | .214 | 7 |

| Wednesday Results | Score |
|--|-------|
| New York 6 Pittsburgh 0-5 | |
| Philadelphia 2 Chicago 0 | |
| Cincinnati 6 Houston 4 | |
| San Francisco 3 Los Angeles 2 (10 innings) | |
| St. Louis at Montreal, ppd. | |
| Atlanta at San Diego, ppd. | |
| Atlanta at San Diego, ppd. | |

| Today's Games | Score |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| St. Louis at Montreal | |
| Cincinnati at Houston N | |
| Friday Games | Score |
| San Francisco at Chicago N | |
| Los Angeles at Pittsburgh N | |
| Montreal at Cincinnati N | |
| New York at Atlanta N | |
| San Diego at St. Louis N | |
| Philadelphia at Houston N | |

| AB | R | H | Pct |
|---|----|---|------|
| Heep, NY | 25 | 7 | .320 |
| Hendrick, STL | 22 | 5 | .227 |
| Dawson, Mil | 40 | 6 | .150 |
| Hall, Chi | 15 | 2 | .133 |
| Cedeno, Cin | 37 | 8 | .216 |
| Chambliss, Atl | 37 | 5 | .135 |
| Kennedy, SD | 53 | 8 | .150 |
| Ashby, Hou | 24 | 2 | .083 |
| Dexter, Cin | 48 | 6 | .125 |
| Plannery, SD | 19 | 5 | .263 |
| Doubles: nine tied with 4. | | | |
| Triples: Dawson, Montreal, 3; Green, St. Louis 2; Seaver, New York, 2; Washington, Atlanta, 2. | | | |
| Home runs: Brock, Los Angeles, 4; Davis, San Francisco, 4; Schmidt, Philadelphia, 4; seven are tied with 3. | | | |
| Runs batted in: Kennedy, San Diego, 16; Driessen, Cincinnati, 12; Landreau, Los Angeles, 11. | | | |
| Stolen bases: Lucy, Pittsburgh, 11; Sax, Los Angeles, 8. | | | |
| Pitching (12 decisions): 12 are tied with 1.000. | | | |
| Strikeouts: Carlton, Philadelphia, 42; Soto, Cincinnati, 25; Baranyi, Cincinnati, 25. | | | |

Old pros can still do it

Tom Seaver proved he still had it. Steve Carlton continued to show he has it — even when he supposedly doesn't.

Mowing down batters right and left, two of baseball's most enduring pitchers each earned National League baseball shutouts Wednesday night — Seaver and New York Mets blanking Pittsburgh Pirates 6-0 and Carlton and Philadelphia Phillies stopping Chicago Cubs 2-0.

"If I could pitch like that every time out, I wouldn't ask for anything more," said Seaver after pitching a three-hitter in the opener of a two-night doubleheader. New York also won the second game, 7-5.

Seaver, who returned to the Mets this season after 5½ years in Cincinnati Reds, recorded his first victory since Aug. 2, 1982, a year in which he struggled with a 5-13 record. And it was his first victory as a Met since June 12, 1977 — the year he was traded to Cincinnati.

"Now, I just have to keep it going," said Seaver after recording his 55th career shutout, tops among active National Leaguers. "It's a day-to-day thing, a game-by-game thing."

Carlton didn't look as sharp as he usually does to Chicago manager Lee Elia, but still four-hit the Cubs, striking out 10 for his 53rd shutout.

Carlton looked better to Phillies manager Pat Corrales.

"He had great stuff to start with and got better as the game progressed," Corrales said.

In other league action Wednesday, it was Cincinnati 6, Houston Astros 4; and San Francisco Giants 3, Los Angeles Dodgers 2 in 10 innings.

The Atlanta Braves-San Diego Padres game was postponed due to rain and cold weather.

postponed the St. Louis Cardinals-Montreal Expos contest.

Seaver not only pitched well, but tripled home a run in the Mets' three-run second inning. In the nightcap, Mookie Wilson singled home the tie-breaking run in the eighth to give the Mets the sweep.

In Philadelphia, Joe Morgan belted a two-run homer in the fourth inning

for all the runs Carlton needed.

Morgan, who has been struggling with a .168 average, attributed his lack of production — he has just seven hits and three RBI — to the unseasonably cold weather.

"I'm not using it as an alibi — other hitters have the same problem — but even in San Francisco I didn't have to wear gloves," he said.

Brett may be the man to watch

Kansas City Royals have played only 10 American League baseball games, but it may be time to start the George Brett watch again. Harken back to 1980, when Brett flirted with the magic .400 mark for much of the season, finishing with .390, the highest batting average since Ted Williams of Boston Red Sox hit .406 in 1941.

In the first 10 games of 1983, Brett is hitting a sizzling .475 — 19-for-40, with eight doubles, four homers and 13 RBIs. Three of the homers and seven RBIs came Wednesday night as Brett powered the Royals to an 8-7 triumph over Detroit Tigers when he greeted reliever Howard Bailey with a two-run blast in the top of the ninth.

"I've never really gotten off to a fast start like this, except maybe in 1976," Brett said, referring to the year in which he won the first of his two league batting crowns with a .333 average. "I had a lousy 2-for-32 my last week in spring training."

In other games, Boston nipped Milwaukee Brewers 5-4, Texas Rangers crushed Baltimore Orioles 11-2, New York Yankees downed Chicago White Sox 6-4,

Toronto Blue Jays defeated Cleveland Indians 4-1 and Minnesota Twins thumped Seattle 11-2 Mariners. Oakland A's and California Angels were washed out for the second night in a row, the first time consecutive rainouts have occurred in Anaheim in the Angels' 18 years there.

Brett paced the Royals to a 6-1 lead over Detroit with a solo home run in the first inning, an RBI single in the third and a three-run homer in the seventh, all off Jack Morris.

Like the Tigers shelled Larry Gura and Dag Quisenberry for six runs in the bottom of the seventh, and the Royals trailed 7-0 when Willie Wilson began the ninth with an infield hit. One out later, left-hander Bailey replaced Aurelio Lopez and Brett slammed a 2-0 pitch into the right field stands.

Red Sox 5 Brewers 4
Jim Rice belted a game-tying two-run homer in the bottom of the ninth inning and pinch hitter Tony Armas walked with the bases loaded and two out as the Red Sox pulled it out against Milwaukee relievers Pete Ladd and Jamie Easterly.

King leads Knicks with hot shooting

Bernard King became the first National Basketball Association player in two years to score 40 points in a playoff game Wednesday night, hitting 16 of 21 shots to lead New York Knicks to a 118-107 victory over New Jersey Nets.

The Nets gave the Knicks a 1-0 edge in their best-of-three Eastern Conference preliminary series.

In other NBA playoff action, Portland Trail Blazers upended Seattle SuperSonics 108-97 to take a 1-0 advantage in the best-of-three Western Conference preliminary series.

Buoyed by King's spectacular shooting, the Knicks never trailed en route to winning their first playoff game since 1978. The Nets, now 0-5 in post-season competition since coming into the NBA in 1977, can even the series tonight when it resumes at Madison Square Garden.

The last player to score 40 points in a playoff game was Moses Malone for Houston Rockets against San Antonio Spurs on April 28, 1981. King as only three short of the all-time Knicks playoff record of 43 points set by Willis Reed in 1969.

King, who was guarded by four different Nets in the game, finished with 16 field goals in 21 attempts.

King's brother, Albert, led the Nets with 17 points, while Buck Williams added 16 points and 13 rebounds for New Jersey. Darryl Dawkins had 14 for the Nets before he sustained a 10-stitch cut on his upper lip early in the second half.

Trail Blazers 108 SuperSonics 97
Mychal Thompson and Jim Paxson each scored 25 points to spark Portland to an upset over Seattle.

The underdog Blazers can wrap up the series with a win in Portland on Friday night.

Calvin Natt added 15 points and Darnell Valentine chipped in 13 for the Blazers.

Seattle was sparked by Gus Williams's 34 points, 16 in the third quarter. Jack Sikma added 23 for the Sonics.

Matthews ready for Lions

VANCOUVER (CP) — Don Matthews has been head coach of B.C. Lions for three months, long enough to become philosophical about the irregular pulse of the Canadian Football League team.

The Lions have always been long on potential and short on results, a trademark dominated by inconsistency.

"I think the players feel they are talented enough as a team to compete with anyone in the league," Matthews said Wednesday. "The talent has always been here, but the players haven't been able to prove they're good enough to win the big games."

"It's a challenge to them and to me to make use of that talent and establish a fresh atmosphere, where everyone wants to come to the park everyday because we're having fun."

Matthews, 43, will make some radical changes in 1983. He'll eliminate the tight end on offense and go with a second slotback. The defence will feature a sixth, full-time defensive back and a standup defensive end.

The new head coach will rely on the knowledge he gained in six years as an assistant coach under Hugh Campbell with Edmonton Eskimos. He's not worried about an stigma of comparison which may be attached to his methods with the Lions.

"When you look at the success of the Eskimo — five straight Grey Cup championships — you realize it's really a tribute to the man, Hugh Campbell," Matthews said in the interview.

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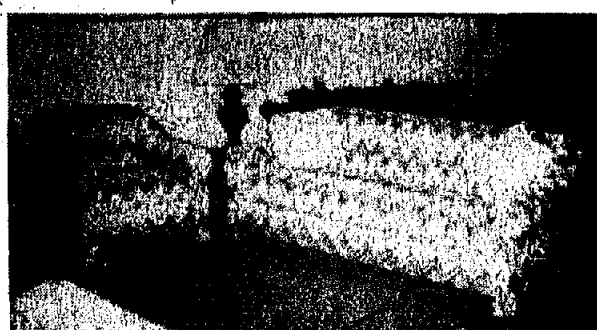
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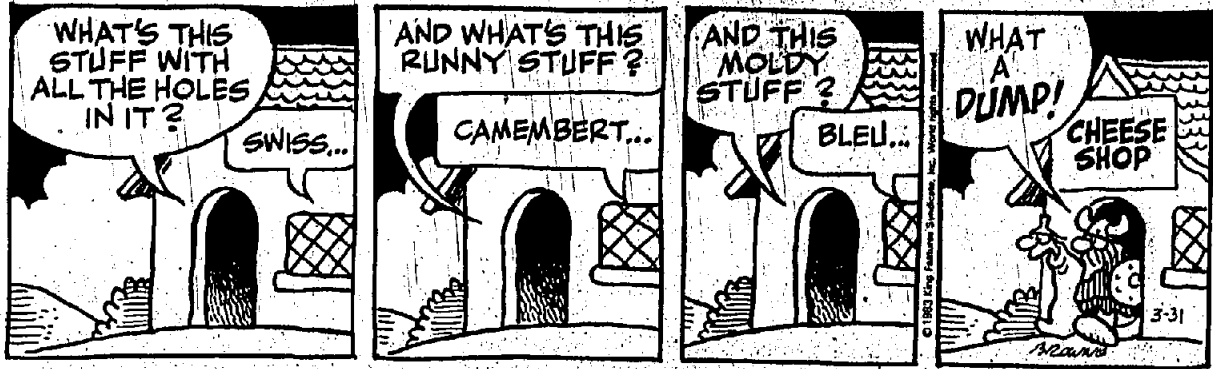
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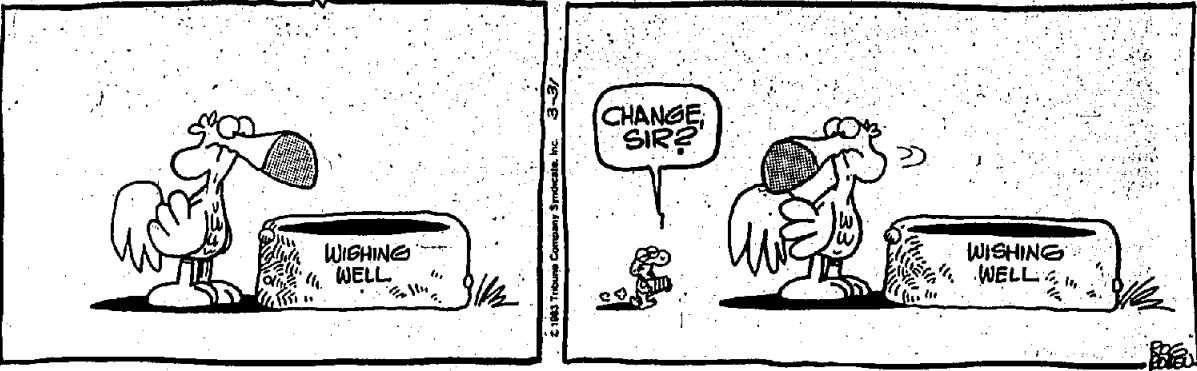
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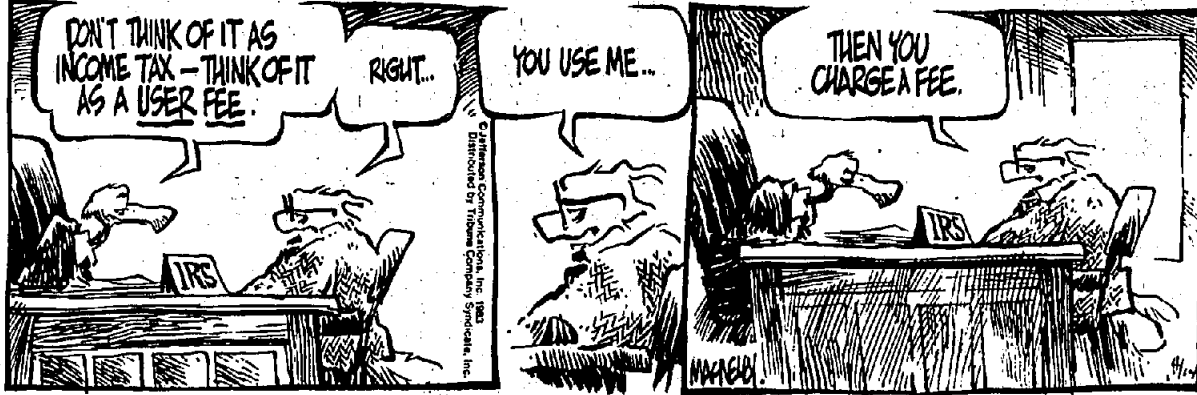
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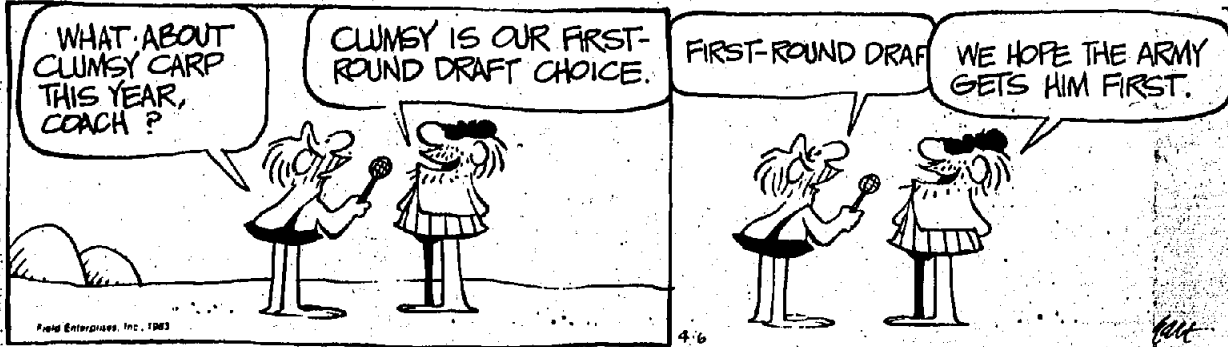
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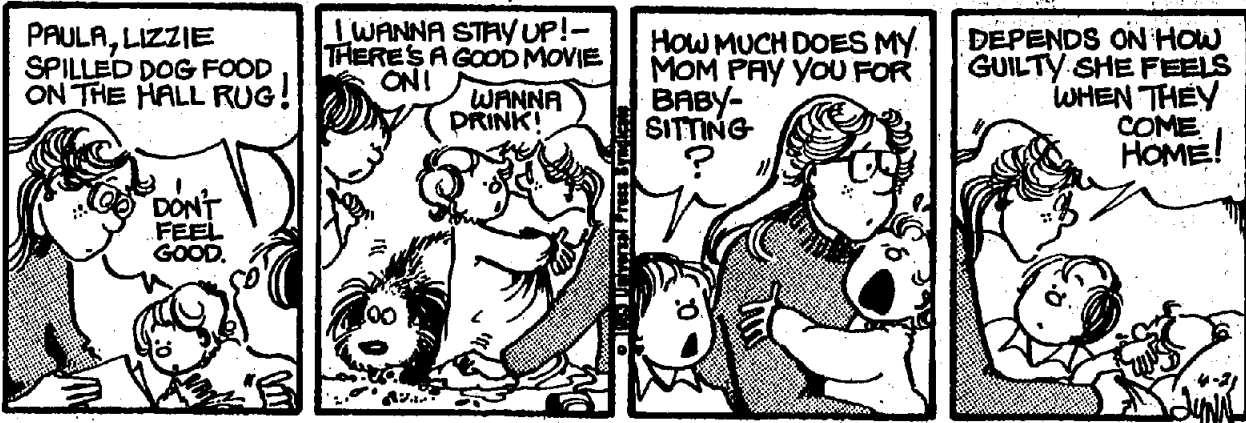
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YOUR INDIVIDUAL HOROSCOPE

FOR FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 1983
What kind of day will tomorrow be? To find out what the stars say, read the forecast given for your birth sign.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19)
Hard work really pays off. Seek ways to increase income. Travelers may meet with mix-ups, so give yourself some extra time.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20)
Though your feelings grow stronger in love, an evening engagement may have to be changed. A past love may get in touch.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20)
Put the finishing touches on a creative project. Local visits have romantic overtones, though you'll entertain at home.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22)
A hunch leads to financial gain. Do serious intellectual work early in the day, as distractions are likely later.

LEO (July 23 to Aug. 22)
You'll have chances to increase income, but unexpected expenses are also possible. You'll meet someone who intrigues you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22)
Complete pending business before embarking on a trip. Your powers of concentration increase and mental accomplishment is the result.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22)
Balance social life with your need for privacy. You may hear some unexpected news today. Check out-of-the-way places for bargains.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21)
After a productive workday, you'll be in the mood to socialize. Keep in touch with an old friend. Don't loan a favorite possession.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)
You'll appreciate a friend's loyalty. Behind-the-scenes moves are favored career-wise, but stay away from long-shot gambles.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19)
Partners make important decisions regarding joint assets. You travel to see old friends. Leisure activities are favored.

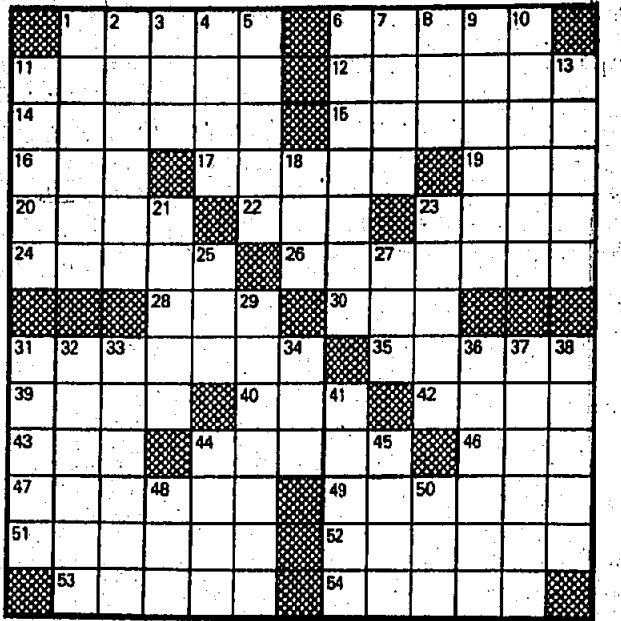
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18)
Accede to a loved one's wishes regarding pleasure plans. Stay clear of business deals with friends. Some career gains are likely.

PISCES (Feb. 19 to Mar. 20)
This is a favorable time to pursue career goals and romantic interests. You'll also hear from someone at a distance.

YOU BORN TODAY are innovative and drawn to futuristic occupations. Your work is often ahead of its time, for you have a unique point of view and can rise to a position of leadership in your field. For you to be happy, your work should reflect your ideals. Do not let an innate conservatism cause you to distrust your fine intuition. Some of the fields in which you'll find happiness are painting, music, science, sculpture, poetry and philosophy. Law, engineering, real estate and public service are also likely to appeal to you.

CROSSWORD by Eugene Sheffer

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| 1 Grasp firmly | 44 "Trick or —" | 1 Sentence piece | 13 Property papers |
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| 15 Rook | 52 Scope | 6 Black top Western state | 29 Had the lead |
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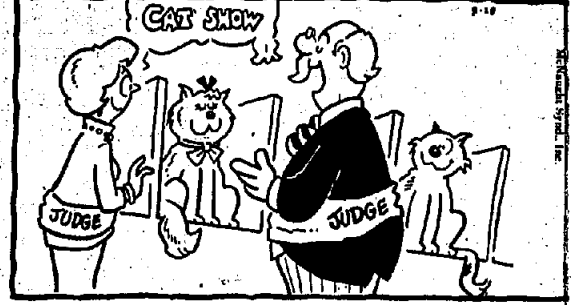


CRYPTOQUIP 11-13
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Yesterday's Cryptquip — COURAGEOUS WILD LION
TAMERS AIMED AT WHIPPING THROUGH ACT.
Today's Cryptquip clue: I equals C.

The Cryptquip is a simple substitution cipher, in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words, and words using an apostrophe can give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

HEATHCLIFF



...AND FROM THE WRONG SIDE OF THE TRACKS...

HERMAN



Weather turns freezing on fruit and vegetables

Fruit and vegetable growers across the U.S. Southeast struggled to save what remained of their crops today as freezing weather hit again one

month into spring, chilling prospects for a good harvest and low prices at the supermarket.

Nolan Duke, a meteorologist with the U.S. National Weather Service's Severe Storms Forecast Centre in Kansas City, Mo., said frost would settle today into many low-lying areas of Tennessee, Alabama,

Georgia and the Carolinas. It was -2 C at Greer, S.C., in the heart of the state's peach growing area, at 4 a.m. today, the weather service said.

"This is the fourth straight morning of subfreezing temps there and it looks like it'll last at least another day," Duke said.

Frost has damaged peaches, apples, strawberries, tomatoes, blueberries, tobacco and eggplants as far south as Georgia and in sections of

Illinois and Indiana. **DAMAGES ORCHARDS** The damage was done even though some farmers tried keeping their orchards warm by burning old tires, piping heated water around their plants, covering them with plastic or spraying them with water which froze, insulating them from frost.

not to report, he said. Another freeze "will leave no hope for a lot of growers," said Joe Kraus, a Clemson University extension service pathologist. "They will have to transplant again."

But the record cold weather could have taken a much heavier toll on the South Carolina tobacco farmers if it hadn't been for heavy rains earlier this year which delayed planting, he said.

Georgia Gov. Joe Frank Harris asked officials in that peach-producing state to determine whether growers were eligible for federal disaster relief because of temperatures Wednesday that plunged as low as -11 C in the mountains.

The record cold "will result in low harvest or complete loss for the fruit growers in many areas of the state," Harris said in a letter to the chairman of the U.S. Agriculture Department's state emergency board.

State Agriculture Commissioner Tommy Irvin said many of Georgia's apple producers were badly hurt. "They will only have enough apples left for roadside sales this fall," Irvin said.

"Most of the tender plants like tomatoes, peppers and eggplants are gone, even though people tried to cover them," Ken Palmer, a Greenville County, S.C., extension agent, said Wednesday.

"The more I look, the more dead ones I find," Watts Auman, a Moore County, N.C., peach grower, said Wednesday. "It looks like we lost just about everything. It's going to be rough."

Jerrold Watson, who lives near Batesburg, S.C., said that two consecutive frosts have wiped out his peach crop.

The loss will put as many as 400 people out of work on his farm, Watson said Wednesday night. Migrant crews that have arrived from Florida to help with crop thinning will be sent home. Others will be told

Shot fired at British Embassy in Beirut

BEIRUT (AP) — Two shots were fired near the British Embassy today, sending marine guards and bystanders diving for cover at the bomb-shattered U.S. Embassy 750 metres away, witnesses said.

"Apparently someone didn't stop at a checkpoint," a secretary at the British Embassy said.

Bill Henderson, U.S. marine warrant officer, said the shots were fired at about 11:15 a.m. (4:15 a.m. EST) by soldiers guarding a stretch of coastal highway between the two embassies.

"The Lebanese army was shooting at a speeding vehicle," he said, "and our people reacted to that by

deploying combat positions."

An Associated Press reporter, in an apartment overlooking the U.S. embassy, saw marines crouch behind cars and lie flat in the street, pointing their M-16 automatic rifles in all directions.

Henderson said none of the more than 200 marines

posted at the building since Monday's bombing had been hurt.

RECOVER BODY

The shots rang out as relief workers pulled another body from the wreckage of the U.S. Embassy, where a powerful explosion Monday afternoon killed at least 49 people, including 17 Americans, and

injured 130.

The body was not identified. There has been no precise count of the dead because the fiery blast caused such massive damage that workers found body parts mangled, making identification difficult if not impossible.

On Wednesday, the U.S. State Department released

the names of 17 Americans killed in the bombing. U.S. Embassy spokesman John Reid said 15 Lebanese staff also were confirmed killed and 17 were missing and presumed dead.

In another development, Lebanese police said today they had released four passersby detained after the bombing for questioning about what they had seen.

STICK TO STORY

The witnesses did not waver in their testimony that a suicide terrorist wearing a black leather jacket had driven a bomb-laden black pickup truck into the embassy and died in the explosion, police said.

Police declined to elaborate, saying only that no one was now under arrest or in custody in connection with the bombing.

The United States, France, Italy and Britain contribute the 5,400-man multinational force that has been helping President Amin Gemayel's government re-establish authority over the Lebanese capital since last September.

Police have been unable to pin the responsibility of the bombing on anyone, although a group called Moslem Holy War had claimed credit for the attack. The group is believed to be made up of Shiite Moslem Lebanese extremists loyal to Iran.

Union Nationale offers a new deal

QUEBEC (CP) — Courtrooms and maternity wards would do a booming business if the once-mighty Union Nationale party were to return to power in Quebec armed with its new manifesto.

The 140-page document, revealed Wednesday by UN Leader Jean-Marc Beliveau, calls for court battles to interpret the Constitution in Quebec's favor and tax incentives to bolster the sagging birthrate among French-speaking Quebecers.

It also proposes limiting the role and extent of government involvement in the economy — while encouraging better relations between labor and management.

Entitled *Reprendre l'offensive* (Regain the Offensive), the manifesto was written by the UN's 10-member political committee but largely reflects the views of Beliveau, who is struggling to return the traditionally conservative party to the forefront of Quebec politics.

The UN dominated Quebec politics during the 1930s, '40s and '50s when it was under the iron hand of founder Maurice Duplessis, a former premier. It returned to power in 1968 with Daniel Johnson as premier — but then it lost steam in the 1970s as the Parti Quebecois gained prominence. Finally and ignominiously, it was wiped off the electoral map in the 1981 election.

The manifesto tags the PQ's ambitions for an independent Quebec a

"mirage" and favors the province staying within Confederation.

APPROACH COURTS

However, it says the courts should be approached for formal rulings on the Constitution as it relates to "the exclusive powers of Quebec and to renegotiate the repatriation of direct management of economic powers."

On economic issues, the manifesto proposes stronger Quebec business, greater emphasis on manufacturing and other key industrial sectors and more hydroelectric development with a view to export.

It also calls for tax credits to encourage couples to have more children — an idea that harks back to the "revenge of the cradle" tradition of the 1800s and

1900s, which pushed up the birthrate of French-Canadians surrounded by an English-speaking North America.

At the same time, a UN government would favor parent-run day-care facilities and effectively penalize Quebecers who opt not to have children.

"The cost of these proposed measures...would be supported by a proportional increase in taxes of childless persons," the manifesto says.

In the same vein, the UN is against abortion unless a mother's life is endangered. "The Union Nationale is for life," the program says. "It intends to do everything in its power to favor the demographic renewal of Quebec and halt the current autogenocide, in order for the Quebecois nation to survive."

Combine operators upset

WINNIPEG (CP) — Canadian farm machinery operators are upset at a new U.S. government rule that could stop them from joining the grain harvest south of the border.

The operators of giant combine machines have worked the harvest in the United States for years, crossing the border without any problems as visitors for business.

But under the new guidelines, Canadian harvest crews wanting to work in the United States will need temporary workers' petitions, filed by the person hiring them.

Wayne Lemke, a United States Immigration Service spokesman in Winnipeg, said Wednesday that U.S. authorities want to be certain that no American jobs are lost.

"Their intent is to protect labor in the States," Lemke said in the past, the United States did not

have many crews to do the combining work and there was a genuine need for the Canadian custom combiners.

But Lemke said as a result of U.S. federal government programs that have reduced the acreage sown to wheat, there is not the same need for the harvest crews.

In the past, the crews often travelled down to Texas or Oklahoma and worked their way back to Manitoba, harvesting crops along the way over a three-month period.

HAS REGULAR CUSTOMERS

Cordell Bestland of Brunkild, Man., said he has been going south since 1969 to do custom combining and has received orders from U.S. customers for this year.

"It is going to be a hard blow for me," said Bestland. "It's going to put

me in quite a bind."

Bestland said he may have to lay off two of his employees and, in spite of a depressed market, try to sell one of his \$135,000 U.S.-made combine machines.

Neil Loeppky of Niverville, Man., said the new regulations will force him to get out of the business and his eight employees will probably lose their jobs.

"If we can't take it across, we definitely will have to sell some of our equipment off," Loeppky said in an interview the decision comes at a time when conditions on the farm are tough.

The combine crews usually head for Texas about this time of year. The U.S. Immigration Service said that last year, about 500 people on combining crews went south from Manitoba through North Dakota border crossings.

Community supports child

ST. SAUVEUR-DES-MONTS, Que. (CP) — When Bree Scofield was born three years ago, doctors told her parents to place her in an institution and hope for a healthy second baby.

The doctors said Bree was a hopeless case with severe brain damage from lack of oxygen at birth.

Today, the little girl suffers from epilepsy and has the mental age of an 11-month-old. But she has become a cause for the whole community of St. Sauveur, just north of Montreal in the Laurentian Mountains, with everyone from girl guides and boy scouts to skiers and priests donating time and raising money to help.

Her mother, Wendy, remembers sitting in a doctor's office not long after Bree was born.

"She told me Bree would have uncontrollable epilepsy, would be a vegetable and would probably die by the time she was six."

"I came home and cried for three days. But then I got angry and I just decided there had to be something I could do."

Wendy and her husband, Walter, believe they have found the answer in what is called patterning, a form of therapy that puts a baby through a regimen of exercises 12 hours each day. **TEACHES CONTROL** Purpose of the therapy,

introduced 40 years ago in Philadelphia, is to try to teach undamaged parts of the brain to control breathing, crawling, walking, sitting up — even reading.

The Scofields began patterning Bree last summer and say there is already a remarkable improvement. But they estimate it will cost \$9,000 a year to buy the necessary materials and finance regular trips to Philadelphia for checkups and seminars.

A month ago, with the bills piling up, the Scofields decided to approach some community groups for help.

"We were in desperate straits," Wendy says. "The response was overwhelming."

"People who were passing acquaintances and people we didn't know came to the rescue. It has really brought the village together."

Pat Carignan, director of family services at the Montreal Association for the Mentally Retarded, says she is "amazed and humbled" by what the Scofields are doing.

"I came away wondering whether kids like Bree have a degree of awareness that makes them prisoners in their own bodies trying to break the prison walls and let people know who they are."

"If that's so, we need more people like Wendy and Walter to help them find the door to break into our world," she said.

Prisoners worried

AGASSIZ, B.C. (CP) — Gary Butler, one of two men going into the fourth week of a hunger strike at Kent Institution, is worried about being transferred to a prison near Edmonton, a prisoner advocate said Wednesday.

Butler and Cousins Dino, who are serving four-year sentences for weapons offences, have refused to eat for 23 days.

They began the fast to focus attention on their fight to have traditional native religions in penitentiaries on the same footing as Christianity, Judaism and Islam.

Connie Iverson of the Direct Support Group said Butler is worried about his condition and the transfer, expected to be made today.

"Any new institution is a potential danger for a new inmate," said Iverson. "He feels he could be a victim of violence and that he is in no condition to ward off attackers."

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Community Services

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Community Events

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WOMEN AND PENSIONS — April 21, 1983, 7:30-9:30 at the Terrace Public Library Arts Room (Basement). Sponsored by Terrace Women's Resource Centre. For more information call 638-0228 afternoons.
(nc-21Apr.)

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William G. Nelson Secretary (nc-12Apr.) (P8-22Apr.)

Coming Events

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(nc-28a)

TERRACE HIKING CLUB HIKE Sunday April 24 to Old Kitselas townsite near Kleauza Park. Bring lunch meet at Library at 10am, weather permitting. No dogs please! Level 1-4 easy. Call 635-3303 or 635-2935 for info.
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Utility shareholders angry

VANCOUVER (CP) —

Two elderly female shareholders of Trans Mountain Pipe Line Co. took advantage of a special meeting Wednesday to scold the utility for its "shenanigans" in a heated takeover battle with Inland Natural Gas Ltd.

There was standing room only in the stuffy conference room when Eleanor Hadley of Vancouver fired the first round in the salvo. Hadley, who described herself as a senior citizen, said she had bought the shares to tide her through her old age but had watched them decrease in value as the two utilities battled in the courts.

Representatives of both were present. President Kenneth Hall of Trans Mountain was chairman of the meeting and Robert Kadlec, his counterpart at Inland, sat among the shareholders.

The meeting had been called by Inland, which claims to be the majority shareholder of Trans Mountain. A B.C. Supreme Court hearing May 24 is to decide that question. But in the meantime, Inland asked shareholders to attend the meeting and dismiss the current Trans Mountain board.

"Because of your activities, I have lost a lot of money," said Hadley, addressing her comments to both companies. "You are all on a power kick." Hadley said the "shenanigans" of both boards had reduced a "once-proud" company to a

sorry state. She suggested the Trans Mountain board resign at once and that the directors pay all legal costs in the complicated takeover bid that started more than a year ago.

She ended by nominating herself as a director, "because at least I would have the best interests of the shareholders at heart."

In her final denunciation, she called for "a pox" on both Inland and Trans Mountain.

Hall said the directors didn't like what was happening any more than Hadley, adding he has tried to reach an amicable agreement with the Inland board, of which he was once a member. He said his advances to Inland had been rebuffed and his board had no choice but to continue the fight.

He had barely finished his comments when Jessie McKinnon of Vancouver opened with round No. 2.

"I'm an oldtimer and I've seen lots of these fights,"

said McKinnon. "And I can tell you there is never anything gained by fights in court."

EXECUTIVES SCOLDED

McKinnon then singled out the Inland representatives, asking them to stand up and identify themselves. "Surely we are all sensible people," she said to Kadlec, chairman Ronald Cliff and chief financial officer Richard Stokes. The three looked like school boys being chastised by their teacher. Up at the podium, Hall breathed a sigh of relief as McKinnon directed her fire elsewhere. His respite was brief.

"What's the matter with you guys?" McKinnon asked representatives of both companies. "Let's get together and make some kind of a deal on this."

McKinnon's suggestion was met with applause by the disgruntled shareholders, many of whom were senior citizens. But no move was made by

either of the combatants. Earlier in the meeting, in an apparent end run around the Inland board, Hall said he had legal advice that the 4.49 million Trans Mountain shares tendered to Inland last January could not be voted at the meeting. (Trans Mountain contends Inland was its subsidiary when it made the offer making the move illegal.)

Furthermore, Inland had refused to provide Trans Mountain with a list of these shareholders so it was impossible to determine who was eligible to vote at the meeting. This effectively blocked any business, said Hall. He later adjourned the meeting.

But Inland was to have the last word. Kadlec came to the microphone and told shareholders another meeting was to be held later today.

Hall said he would not be attending.

The battle of the boards continues.

LRB orders strike's end

PRINCE GEORGE, B.C. (CP) —

The Labor Relations Board has ordered 700 workers to end a strike at Prince George Pulp and Paper and Intercontinental Pulp.

The walkout by members of the Pulp, Paper and Woodworkers of Canada began Tuesday over contracting-out of maintenance work during a shutdown scheduled for April 24 to May 7.

Union leaders said members would obey the back-to-work order.

David Henning, first vice-president of the Pulp, Paper and Woodworkers of Canada, said contracting out work has been a problem for some time.

Henning said his union agrees some work should be contracted out, but he said the companies are proposing to do this for routine maintenance work.

Doug Quinn, director of industrial relations for Canadian Forest Products, parent company of the two companies, said the union has been told that all maintenance employees will be on the job during the shutdown.

But Henning said the union is concerned the companies will use a small maintenance crew and will contract out the rest of the work.

Henning said staff is being reduced further at the mills — two employees who are retiring will not be replaced and six cafeteria employees will be laid off. This work also will be contracted out, he said.

Peace urged

VANCOUVER (CP) —

The chairman of MacMillan Bloedel Ltd., Canada's largest forest products company, made a plea for labor peace in his speech Wednesday to the company's annual meeting.

Calvert Knudsen said short-term labor agreements, punctuated by strikes and illegal walkouts have caused customers to divert their business.

"We need a minimum three-year agreement, with no costs increase in the first year, in our negotiations with the (International Woodworkers of America) and our two pulp and paper unions," he said. "Such a breathing space will put more people back to work in the short run and bring greater job security in the long run."

Knudsen said the company had net earnings of \$2.4 million for the first quarter of 1983, but that figure included two non-recurring gains totalling \$2.4 million.

Without the sale of the head office in Vancouver and 50 per cent of Inland Paper Mills in nearby New Westminster, the company lost \$23 million, compared with a loss of \$10.4 million in the first quarter of 1982.

Knudsen said weak markets for newsprint, pulp, containerboard and packaging products were

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Canadian consumers face larger tax increases

OTTAWA (CP) — The average household will be forced to spend about \$60 to \$70 a year more on consumer goods when the one-per-cent federal sales tax increase comes into effect Oct. 1, 1984, Finance Department officials said Wednesday.

But how reliable is that estimate?

Andrew Cohen, executive director of the Consumers Association of Canada, says

that if the government claims the increase will be \$60 to \$70, the real price tag may be closer to \$100 or \$150.

The Finance Department admits it produced only "a ballpark estimate."

The one-per-cent increase announced in Tuesday's federal budget is levied at the manufacturing level but is inevitably passed on to the consumer. And when the retail price of goods is

increased, consumers pay more in provincial sales taxes in all provinces except Alberta.

Increasing the federal sales tax, therefore, is a double blow to the pocketbook.

This hidden tax is applied to all manufactured goods, "everything from refrigerators to washing machines and Ouija boards," says Barbara

Shand, the consumers association president.

Food products and services, such as a visit by the plumber, are about the only items exempt in the marketplace.

The federal sales tax on cigarettes and alcoholic beverages will rise to 13 per cent from 12 per cent, on construction materials to six per cent from five per cent and on other products

to 10 per cent from nine per cent.

By the 1985-86 fiscal year, the government expects to be collecting an extra \$1 billion annually because of the increases. But not all that \$1 billion will come from consumers' pockets because the tax is applied even on goods produced for export.

Shand is particularly licensed with the higher tax on construction materials.

The move will increase the cost of housing at a time when the government is trying to encourage construction and even penalize "the do-it-yourselfers" planning to build a recreation room in the basement.

The difficulty in calculating the impact of the sales tax increase at the retail level can be

illustrated by looking at alcoholic beverages.

Christopher Layton, a spokesman for the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, said he has no idea how the tax increase will affect the price of a bottle of rye or vodka.

"It's anybody's guess," Layton said in a telephone interview from Toronto.

The impact can be calculated only after knowing what the cost of a bottle of rye or vodka will be to the liquor board next year and only after knowing what the federal excise tax on that bottle will be.

Currently, neither of those figures are known, Layton said.

Along with net increases in the personal income tax paid by most ddddddleand high-income earners, consumers

will also be hit indirectly with a six-per-cent tax on cable and pay television services.

Most cable customers will pay an extra 40 cents to 75 cents a month because of the tax. Pay-TV subscribers will also be confronted with additional charges of about 80 cents a month for each channel they buy.

The various personal income tax changes proposed will result in a \$110 increase this year for a married person with two children earning \$30,000 annually. Next year, that person will pay an extra \$160.

Lower-income people, however, will pay less income tax. A couple with two children and one spouse earning only \$15,000 will save \$47 in income tax this year and \$6 next year.

Business dislikes PQ style governments

NEW YORK (CP) — It was like mixing oil and water.

Bernard Landry wore the hat of the government super salesman, telling American businessmen they can get their money's worth doing business with Quebec.

Landry, Quebec minister of external trade,

deliberately stayed out of the political arena.

Montreal businessman Pierre Lortie plunged right into it, blaming the Parti Quebecois government for chasing away business.

Lortie, president of the Montreal Stock Exchange, angered Quebec officials when he said a majority of

head offices of large Canadian corporations had left Montreal. He gave no figures.

Roger Gosselin, Quebec delegate-general in New York, told Lortie "that is not a fact."

Landry's speech on Monday was strictly

promotional, aimed at an audience of leading New York purchasing agents. He was well received.

Lortie, the private-sector critic, addressed a politically oriented group the next day at the Centre for Inter-American Relations.

Although Lortie was

optimistic about the Quebec economy, he said that structurally it remains relatively weak because of so many low-growth industries.

Gosselin disputed Lortie's statement about the departure of corporate head offices from Quebec.

"Some have left, some have reorganized, some have moved their international headquarters but left their Canadian headquarters in Montreal."

Popular support for independence has been declining since the 1980 Quebec referendum on sovereignty-association was defeated by a nearly 3-to-2 margin.

The dismal records of many provincial Crown corporations suggest that it will be more difficult for the government to increase its direct involvement in the productive sector of the economy.

As manufacturing loses much of its importance as the generator of economic growth, Ontario and Quebec will have to rely on the strength of their primary sector and service sector to fuel their growth.

The major concern of the Quebec government in coming years most likely will be to control its spending. Annual deficits of \$3 billion in the last three years gave the government little room to manoeuvre.

The language regulations are not attracting the popular support they used to in the heyday of the PQ.

Robert F. O'Shaughnessy, president of Pacific Northern Gas Ltd., is pleased to announce the appointment of John W. Kreut as Manager of Field Operations. In this capacity he will be responsible for all operations in the company's northwest service area, and will report to L.E. Bennett, Manager of Operations.

Mr. Kreut is a graduate of the University of British Columbia in Applied Science, and held numerous management positions with BC Timber Ltd. prior to joining the company. He will reside in Terrace.

Brazil seizes dangerous cargo

RIO DE JANEIRO (AP) — The weapons bound for Nicaragua on four Libyan planes seized by Brazilian authorities may have been manufactured in Brazil, a leading Rio newspaper reported today.

The Jornal do Brasil also quoted navy minister Admiral Maximiano da Fonseca as saying: "I don't know what the cargo is, but (Libyan leader Col. Moammar) Khadafy has sold our arms to many countries."

Khadafy said Wednesday in Tripoli that the four planes were loaded with weapons for the leftist Sandinista regime in Nicaragua, adding he regretted any problems caused to Brazil.

In a statement reported by the official Libyan news agency JANA, Khadafy expressed regret for the incident and blamed the "insincerity" of a Libyan civil aviation official "who failed to inform the friendly Brazilian authorities of the entire contents of the cargo."

A Brazilian Foreign Ministry source said that

when requesting permission on April 12 to make a future "technical stopover" in northern Brazil, Libya claimed the four aircraft carried "ambulances, hospital equipment and medical supplies."

Brazilian President Jose Figueredo's press spokesman Carlos Atila said authorities will examine the cargo on Friday and "if any war material is found, it will be impounded." He said Libya would be asked to send a representative to the inspection.

Atila said the planes would be allowed to leave Brazil after the examination, which was delayed until Friday because today is a national holiday. It honors a revolutionary hero who unsuccessfully tried to overthrow Portuguese colonial rule and was hanged in 1792.

In Washington, the U.S. State Department said the arms discovered aboard the planes offer new proof of Libya's "deep involvement" with the Sandinista government.

Nicaragua is trying to put down insurgents who are believed to be receiving U.S. arms and other American support. The Reagan administration has accused the Sandinistas of supplying arms to leftist guerrillas in El Salvador.

AVOID INCIDENT

The Jornal do Brasil, citing a military source, said the weapons aboard the planes might have come from Brazil in the first place. There was speculation the government was trying to avoid a diplomatic incident so as not to interfere with its weapons sales, which are helping to pay off a \$90-billion U.S. foreign debt.

Brazil, while avoiding political alliances with radical Third World

governments, is the biggest arms supplier to developing countries. Weapons sales from private and government manufacturers normally are not disclosed, but the business is thought to total \$1 billion annually and likely to reach \$2 billion this year.

The privately owned AJB news agency said Wednesday a diplomatic incident could wreck negotiations between the Brazilian government-controlled airplane company Embraer and Libya for the sale of 150 Tucano trainers.

The single-engine turboprops, which can be converted to tactical use, so far have been approved for sale only to the Brazilian air force.

Stiles supported

EDMONTON (CP) — Attorney General Neil Crawford came to the defence Wednesday of a Progressive Conservative back-bencher who told a newspaper he has seen no evidence the Holocaust ever took place.

Stephen Stiles, who represents the central Alberta riding of Olds-Didsbury, caused a furore this week by saying he has not seen evidence that Jews were persecuted, rounded up or massacred during the second World War.

"What was the Holocaust?" Stiles said in an interview published Tuesday in the Edmonton Journal. "I mean, The Holocaust was the name of a movie. It sold and made a lot of money for the people who produced it."

"I realize the Jewish people are very touchy about this and they have a lot of documentation. But, as I say, it's become very popular to exploit this."

Crawford told a news conference he is convinced after a conversation with Stiles that the 44-year-old lawyer, who once edited a weekly newspaper, is not prejudiced against Jews.

He said Stiles claims to have been quoted out of context, and the controversy does not involve government policies.

But when Stiles was questioned about the accuracy of the report Wednesday, he said: "I have nothing to say about it. The reporter wrote a story and there it is. I'm not criticizing it at all." He refused to answer any other questions.

The Journal was to publish a transcript of the tape-recorded interview with Stiles today.

Crawford said he had already clarified the government's position by telling the legislature he didn't think anyone could conclude there was no evidence of genocide during the Second World War.

He also said Stiles would "certainly not" be expelled from the 75-member caucus if the report of his opinions proved true. "The caucus doesn't operate that way," he said.

Stiles was interviewed after a teacher from his region of Alberta was fired for teaching students a Zionist conspiracy.

All About PEOPLE

Mickey Rooney has pledged to file his name off his honorary Academy Award and throw it away because the U.S. Supreme Court "refused to give me, a patriotic American, my day in court."

Rooney was responding to a Supreme Court decision to dismiss his suit seeking to give actors a share of residuals paid for their movies shown on television.

"I won't work in movies anymore," the diminutive Rooney thundered. "I don't want any part of those people after this."

Rooney, 61, said he considered the decision a "serious betrayal of my rights as an American" because the high court dismissed the two-year-old case without hearing any of the actor's arguments.

Rooney, who had charged that Hollywood's pre-1980 exclusion of actors from sharing residuals broke antitrust laws, said the CBS-TV film, Bill: On His Own, will be the last of his career.

Rooney, who began his acting career when he was seven months old, was given the honorary Oscar last week.

Laid-off Pittsburgh steelworker Ron Bricker landed a job repairing computers on Wednesday, a week after he handed his resume to U.S. President Ronald Reagan and asked for help in finding work.

"This past week has been one crazy week," said Bricker, 39, one of an estimated 130,000 U.S. steelworkers out of work.

"I'm just thrilled. I never expected this, never in my wildest dreams."

Bricker, who was hired as a computer field service technician, said he plans to send "a thank-you letter" to the president.

Talk about a fast change of heart.

The anchorman of Good Morning Britain has decided to stay on, despite the firing of two co-hosts.

Michael Parkinson, a veteran talk-show host and one of Britain's best-known TV celebrities, had denounced the firings as "disgraceful," and said he expected to quit or be fired.

But Parkinson emerged hours later from a meeting with executives of TV-AM, the show's producer, to say: "I am staying. I am happy the way TV-AM is going."

The highly publicized show, launched Feb. 1, has been lagging badly in a ratings race with the BBC's Breakfast Time. The sagging ratings led to the demotion of anchorman David Frost to an interviewing role.

Two other anchors on the show, Angela Rippon and Anna Ford, denounced the changes and were promptly fired.

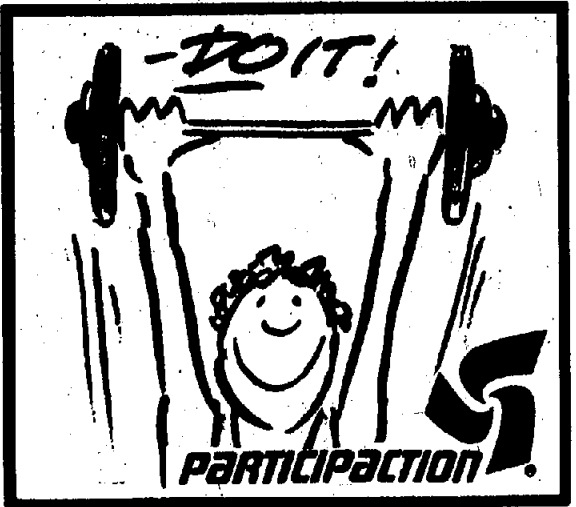
He's a little bit country, he's a little bit rock 'n' roll.

Stephen James Craig, weighing in at seven pounds, seven ounces, was born Wednesday — the first child for singer Marie Osmond and her husband, Stephen Craig, who were married last June.

Osmond family spokesman Ron Clark quoted her as saying: "I've never been happier in my life. Now I just want to get him home and start being a family of three."

Speaking of babies, a young Rhinestone Cowboy was born Tuesday to singer Glen Campbell and his wife, Kim, at a Phoenix, Ariz., hospital, a Campbell spokesman said.

The eight-pound, six-ounce boy, whose name was not announced, is the fifth child for Campbell, who has had three previous marriages.



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